CHAPTER 14

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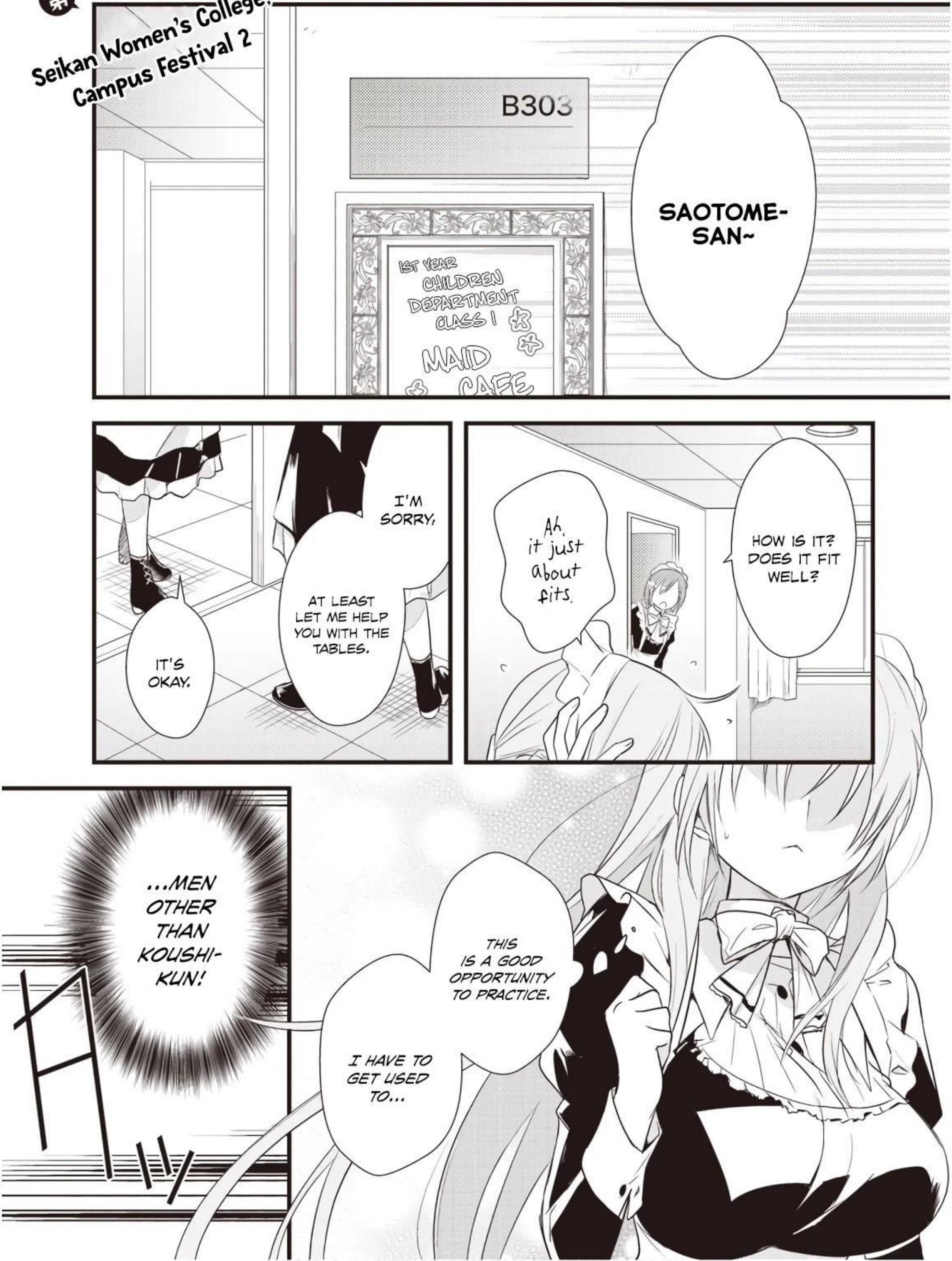
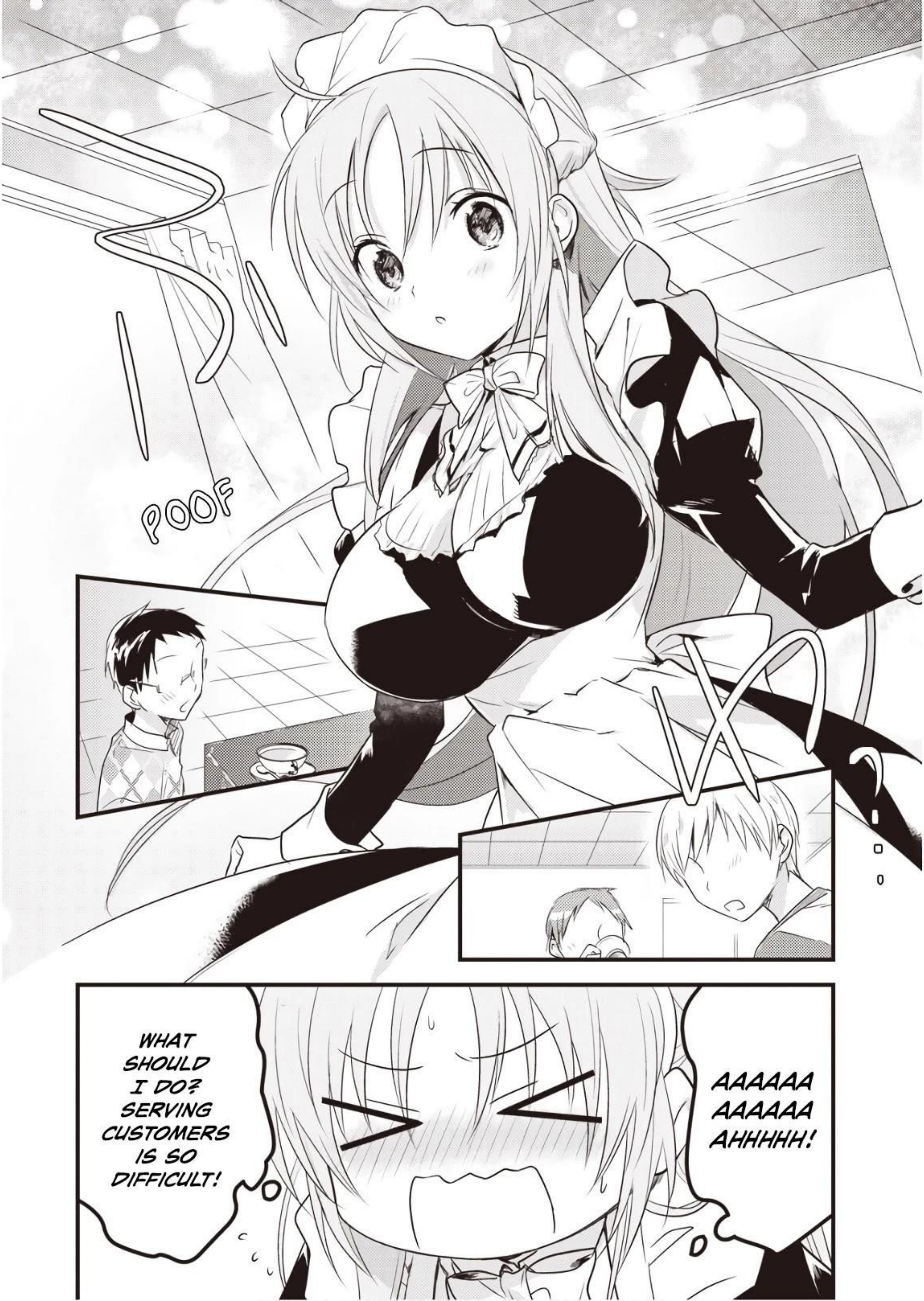
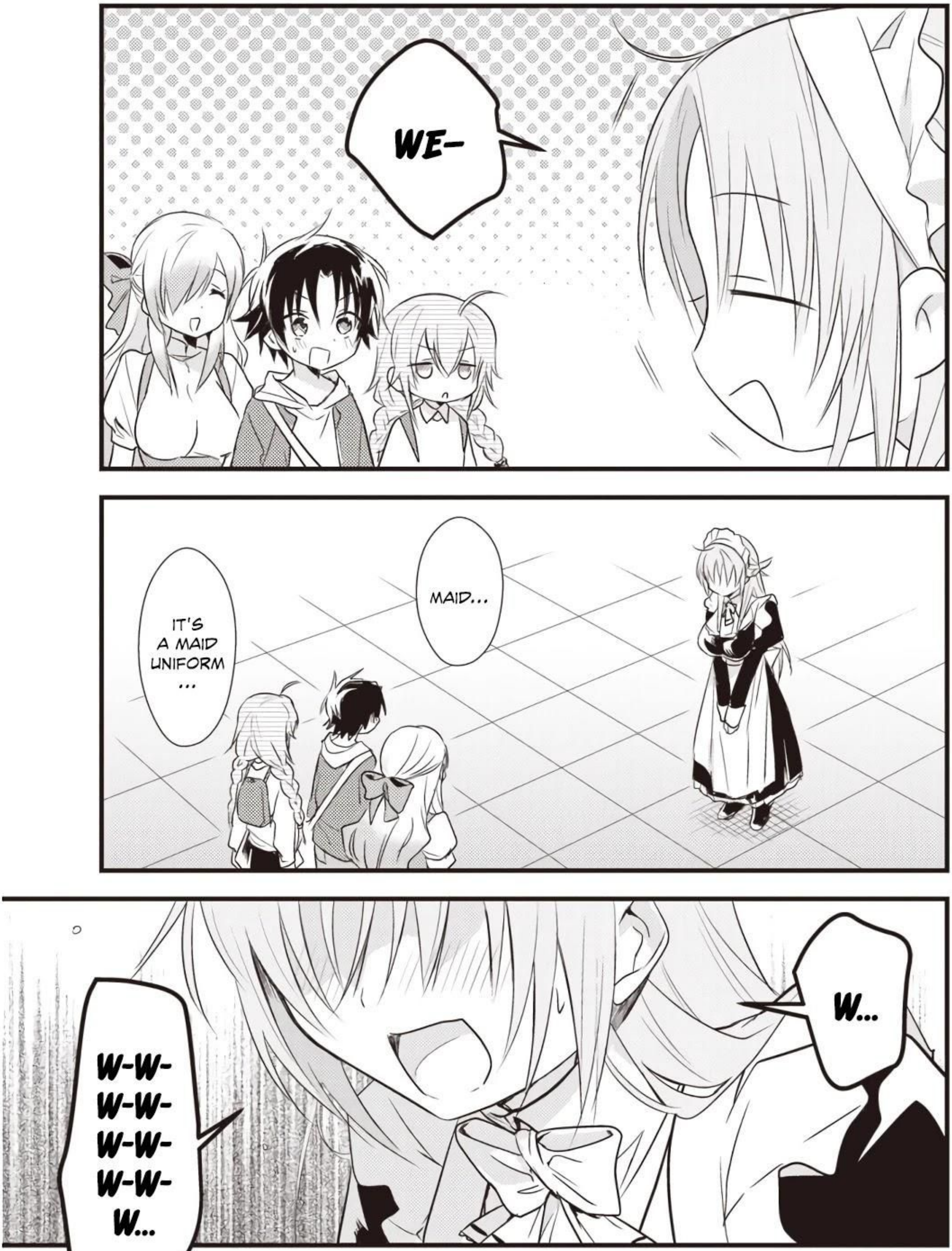
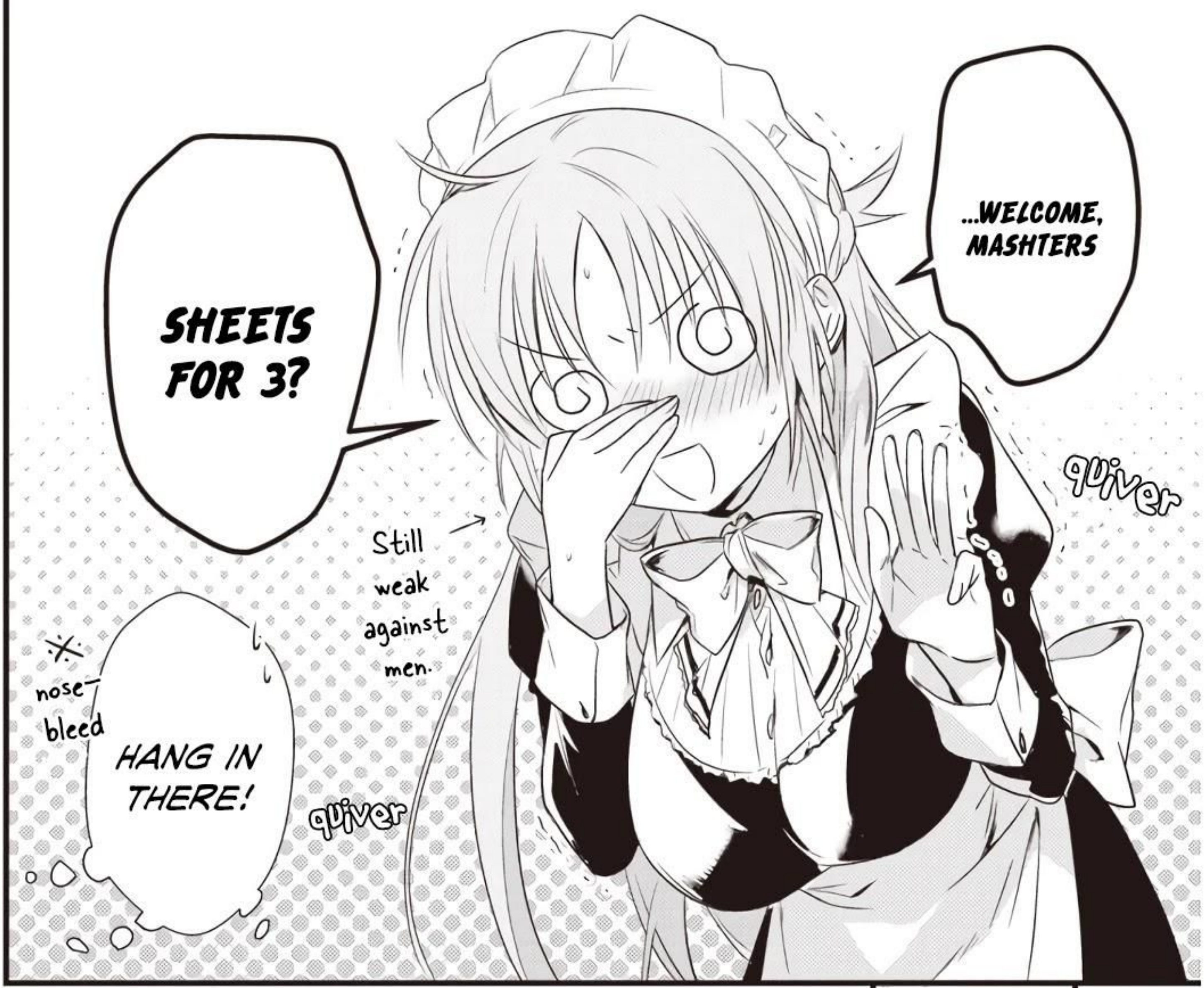
Seikan Women's College, Campus Festival 2

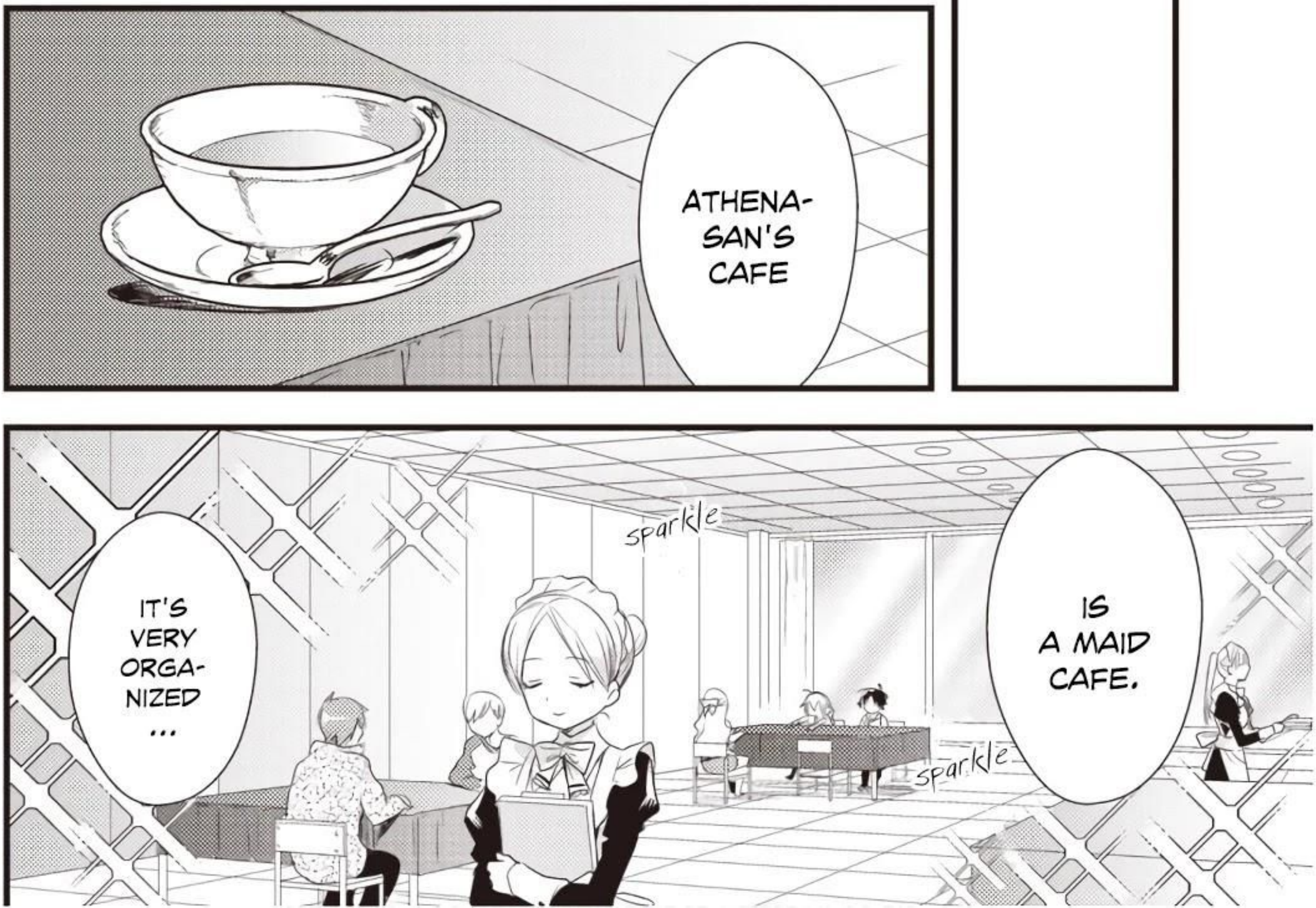

B303
1ST YEAR CHILDREN DEPARTMENT CLASS 1 MAID CAFE
SAOTOME-SAN~
HOW IS IT? DOES IT FIT WELL?
Ah, it just about fits.
I'M SORRY,
AT LEAST LET ME HELP YOU WITH THE TABLES.
IT'S OKAY.
THIS IS A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO PRACTICE.
I HAVE TO GET USED TO...
...MEN OTHER THAN KOUSHI-KUN!

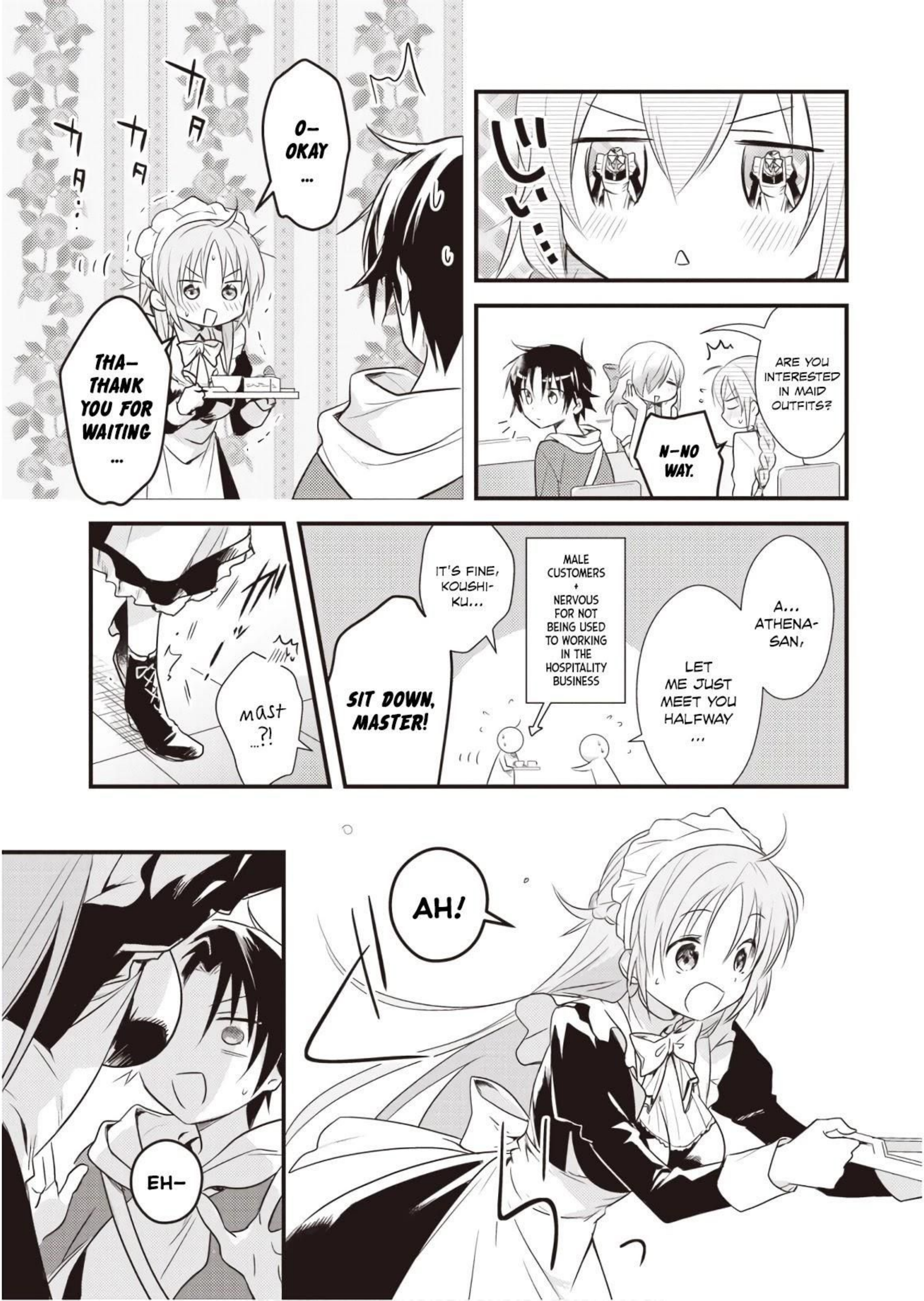

POOF
?!..
AAAAAA AAAAAA AHHHHH!
WHAT SHOULD I DO? SERVING CUSTOMERS IS SO DIFFICULT!

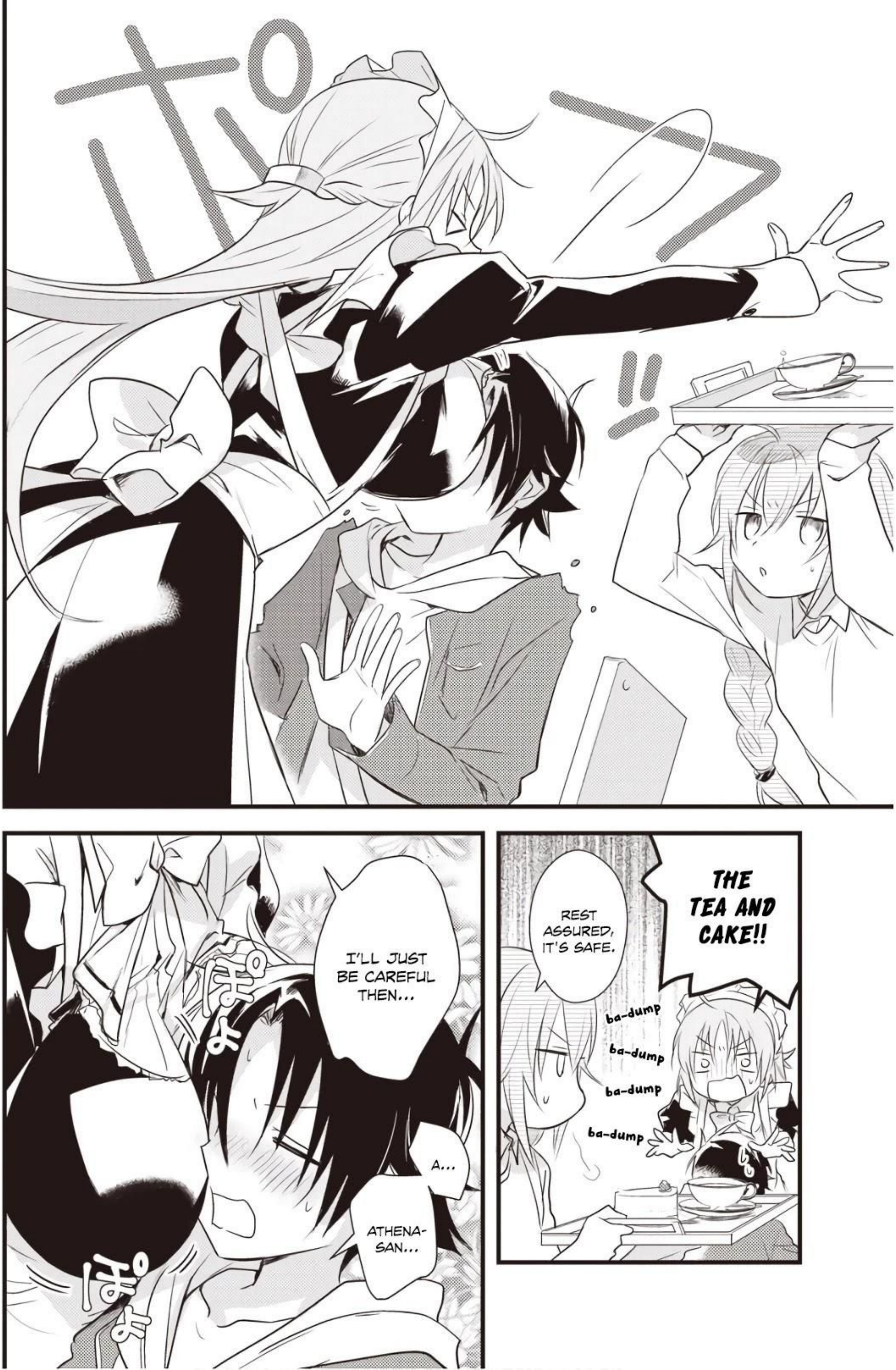

WE-
MAID...
IT'S A MAID UNIFORM ...
W...
W-W-W-W-W-W-W-W-W...

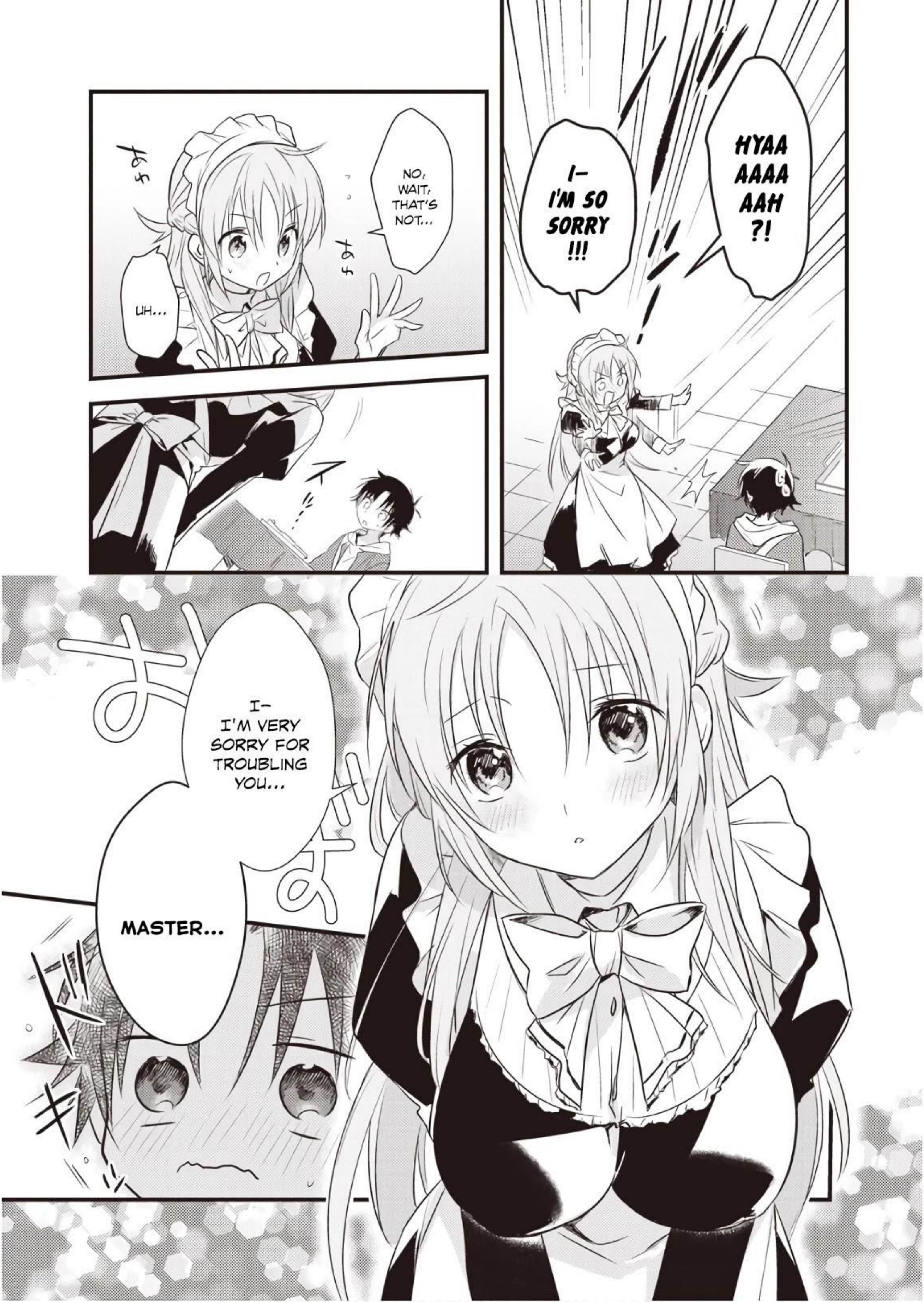

...WELCOME, MASHTERS
SHEETS FOR 3?
quiver
Still weak against men.
※ nose-bleed
HANG IN THERE!
quiver

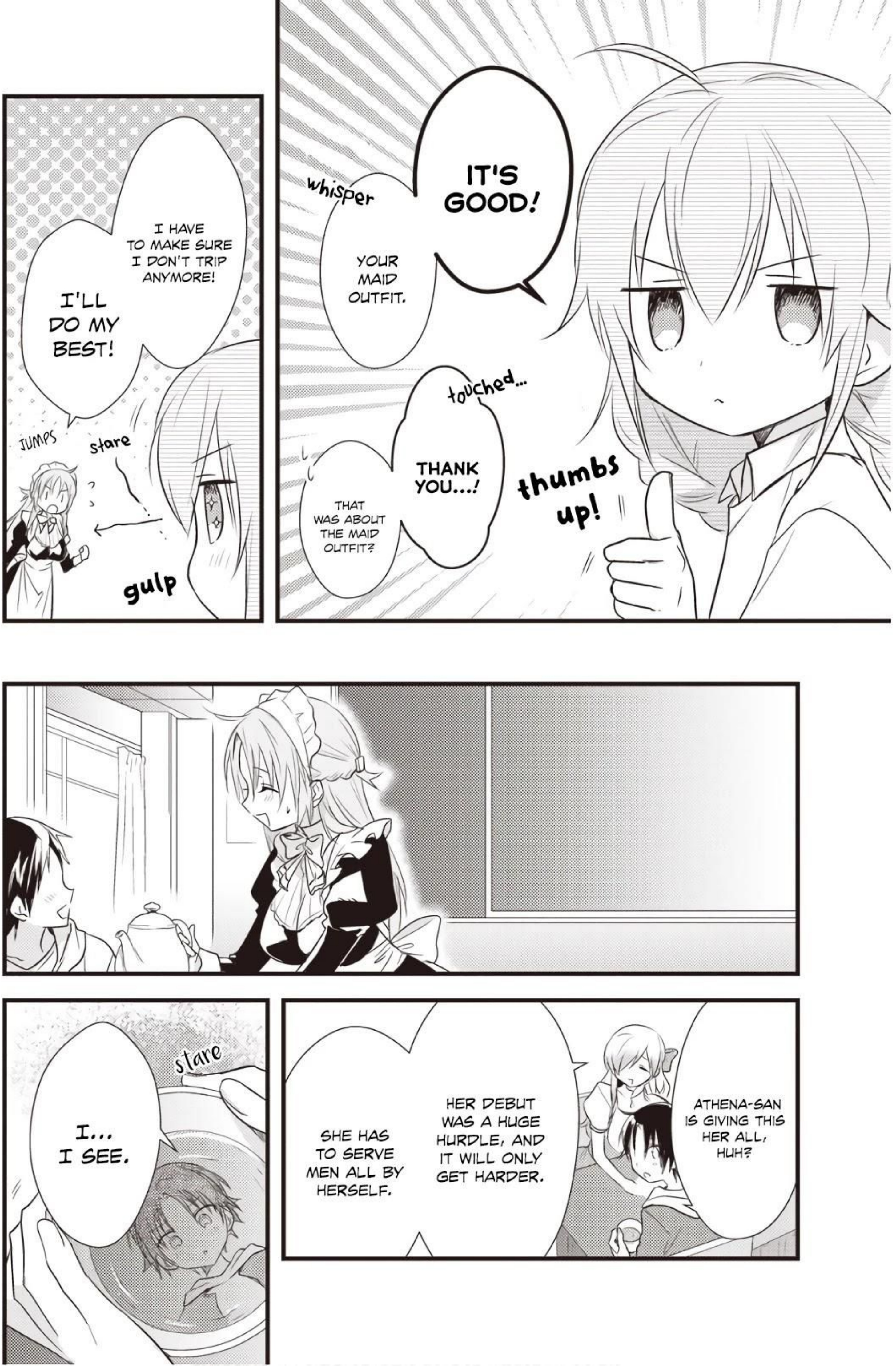
T/N: IT'S NOT A TYPO, ATHENA IS HAVING DIFFICULTY TALKING BECAUSE OF THE NOSEBLEED :)

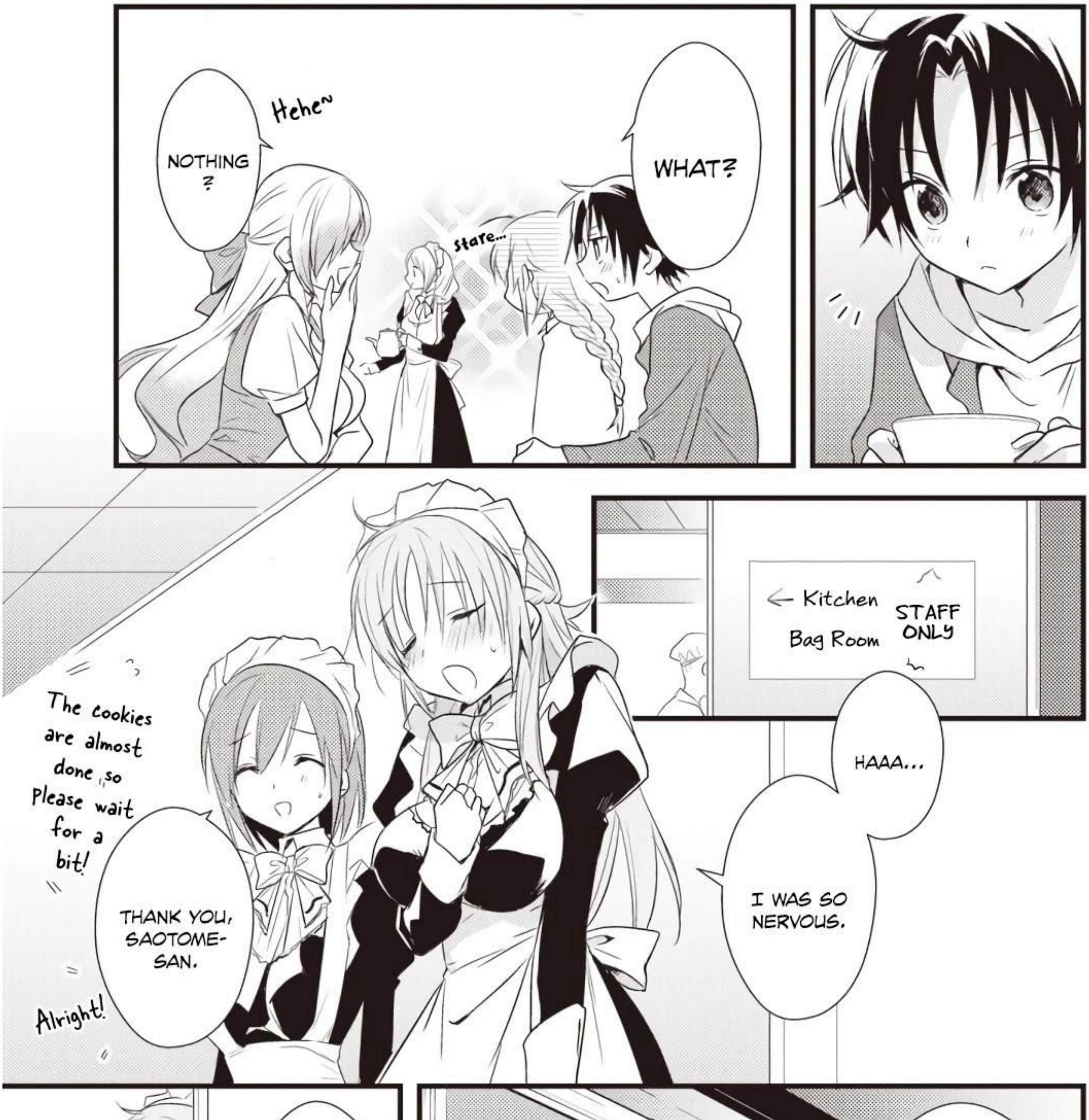

ATHENA-SAN'S CAFE
IS A MAID CAFE.
IT'S VERY ORGANIZED...
sparkle
sparkle

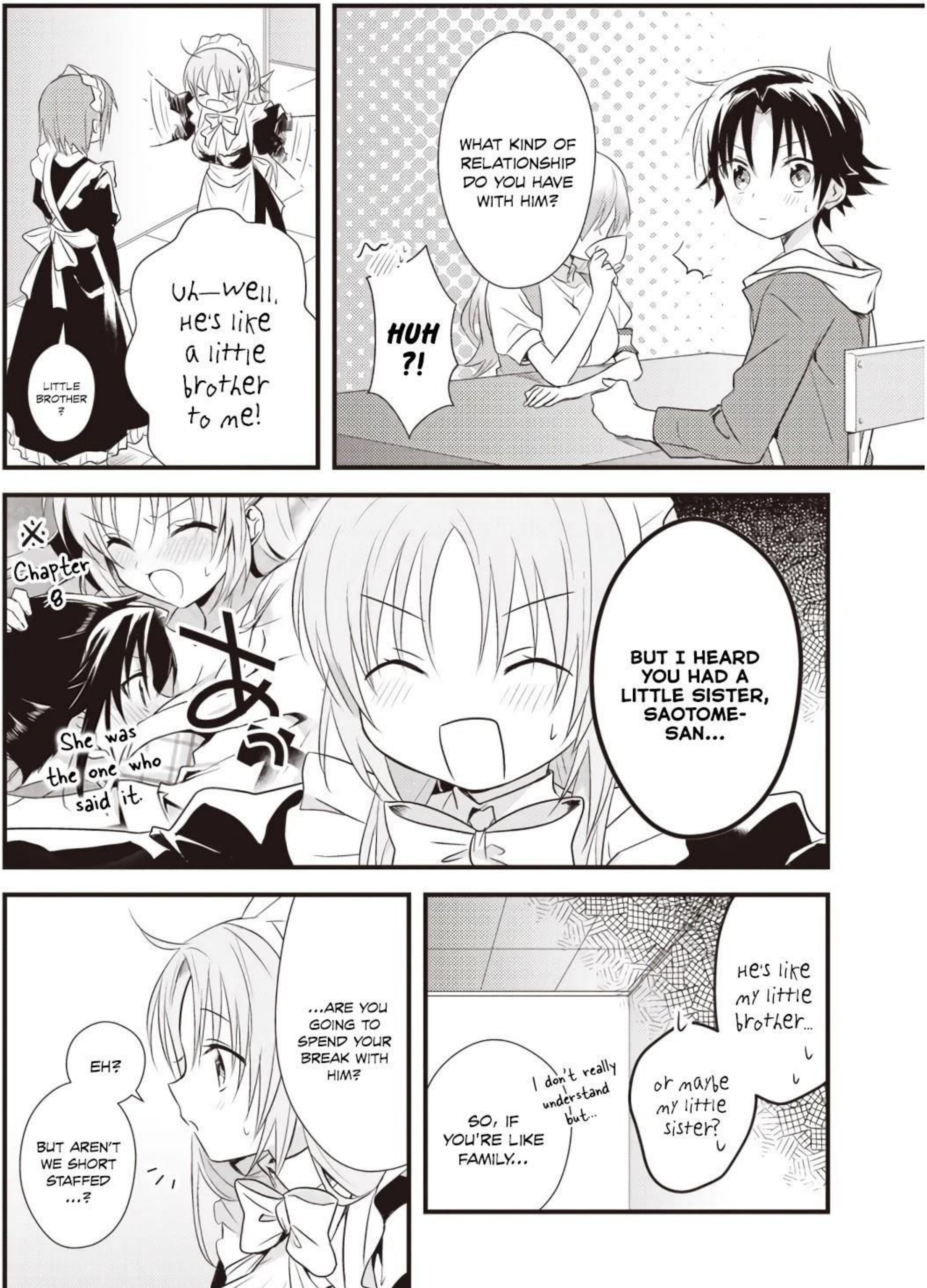

じーっ…
ARE YOU INTERESTED IN MAID OUTFITS?
N-NO WAY.
カタ カタ カタ…
O-OKAY …
THA-THANK YOU FOR WAITING …
A… ATHENA-SAN, LET ME JUST MEET YOU HALFWAY …
IT'S FINE, KOUSHIKU…
MALE CUSTOMERS + NERVOUS FOR NOT BEING USED TO WORKING IN THE HOSPITALITY BUSINESS
SIT DOWN, MASTER!
mast …?!
AH!
EH-

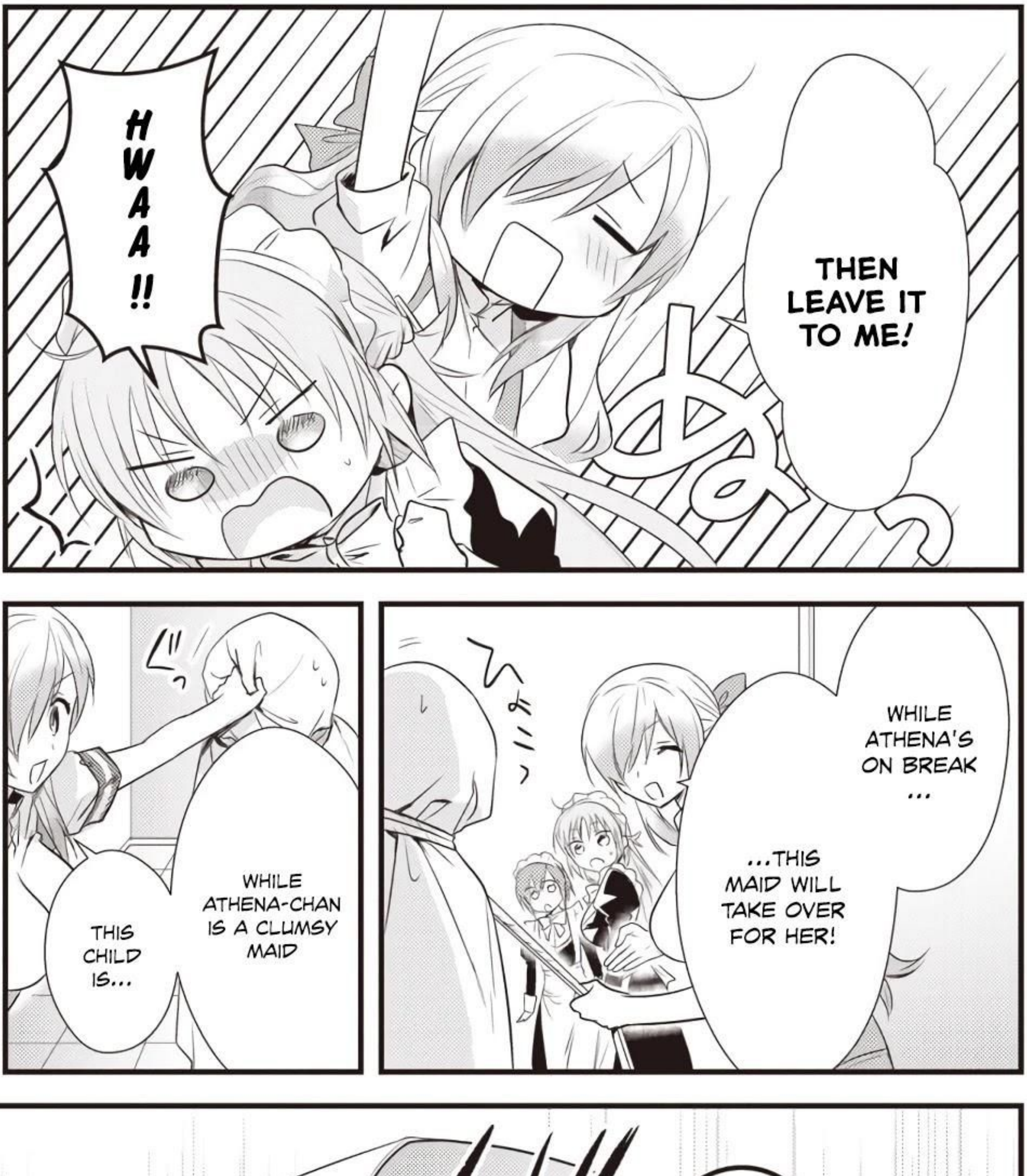

ポフ
!!
THE TEA AND CAKE!!
REST ASSURED, IT'S SAFE.
ba-dump
ba-dump
ba-dump
ba-dump
I'LL JUST BE CAREFUL THEN...
ぽよ
A...
ATHENA-SAN...
ぽよ

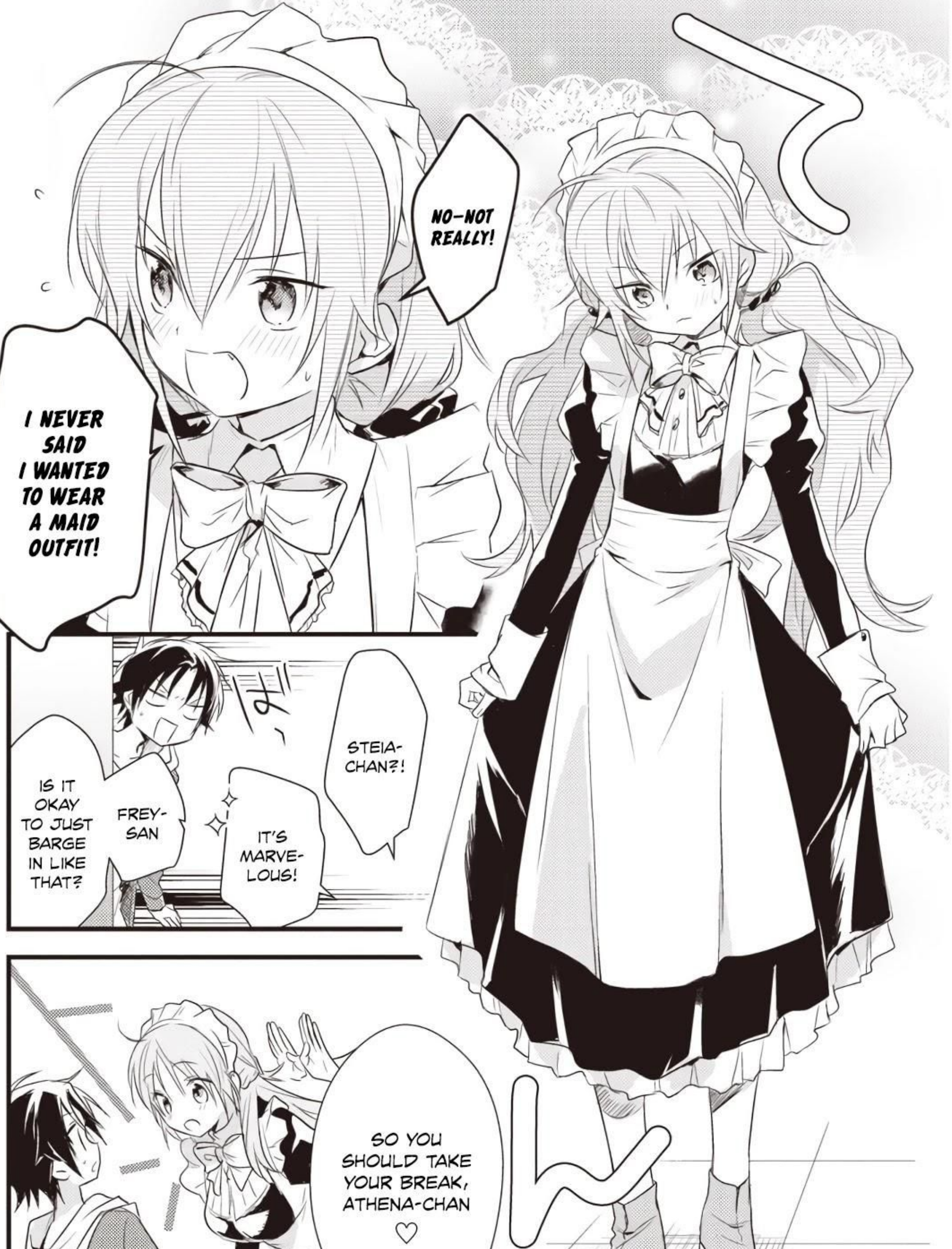

HYAA AAAA AAH ?!
I– I'M SO SORRY !!!
NO, WAIT, THAT'S NOT...
あわ
あわ
UH...
ス…!
I– I'M VERY SORRY FOR TROUBLING YOU...
MASTER...
おずおず
ドキ

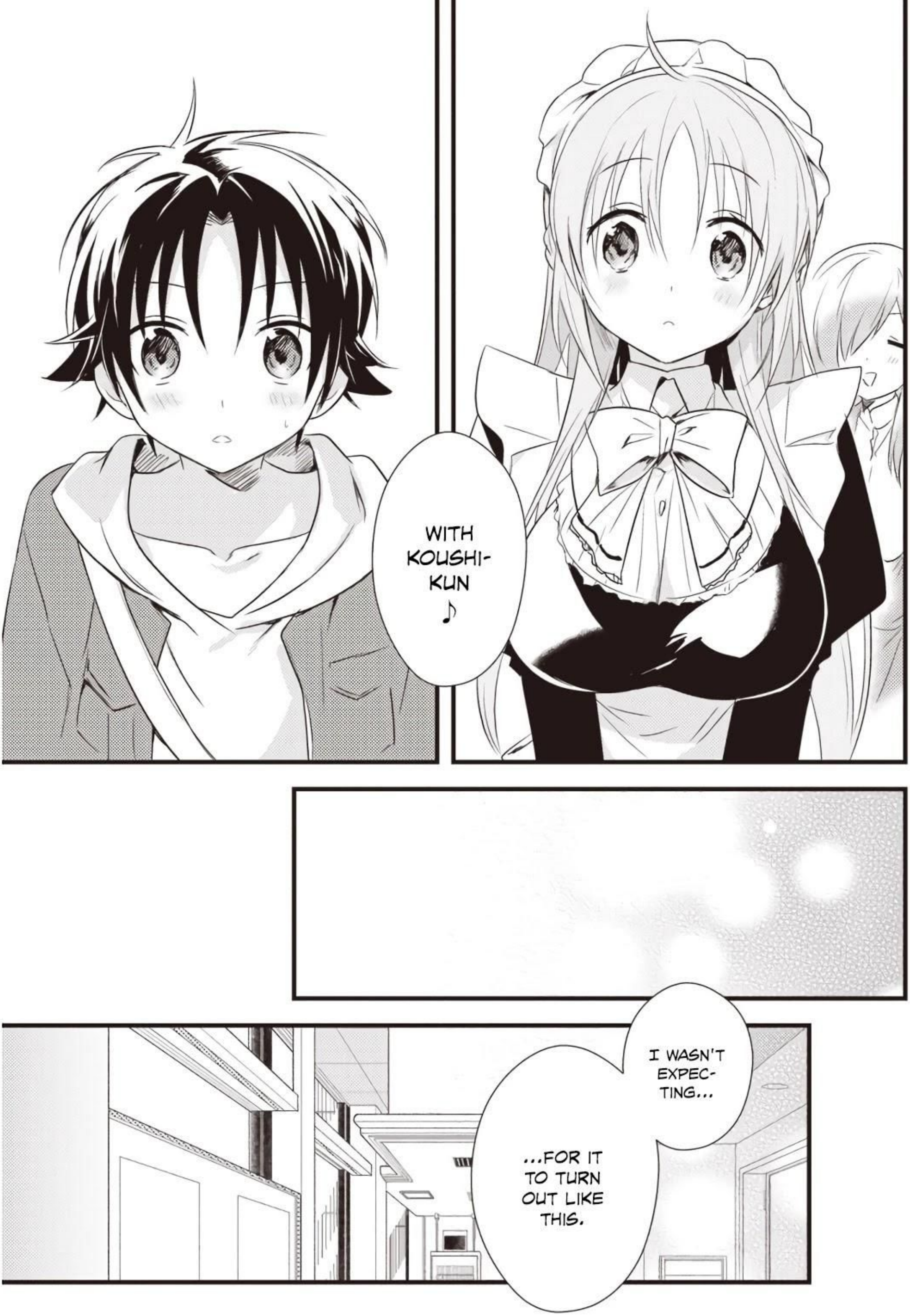

IT'S GOOD!
whisper
YOUR MAID OUTFIT.
thumbs up!
touched...
THANK YOU...!
THAT WAS ABOUT THE MAID OUTFIT?
I HAVE TO MAKE SURE I DON'T TRIP ANYMORE!
I'LL DO MY BEST!
JUMPS
stare
gulp
ATHENA-SAN IS GIVING THIS HER ALL, HUH?
HER DEBUT WAS A HUGE HURDLE, AND IT WILL ONLY GET HARDER.
SHE HAS TO SERVE MEN ALL BY HERSELF.
stare
I... I SEE.

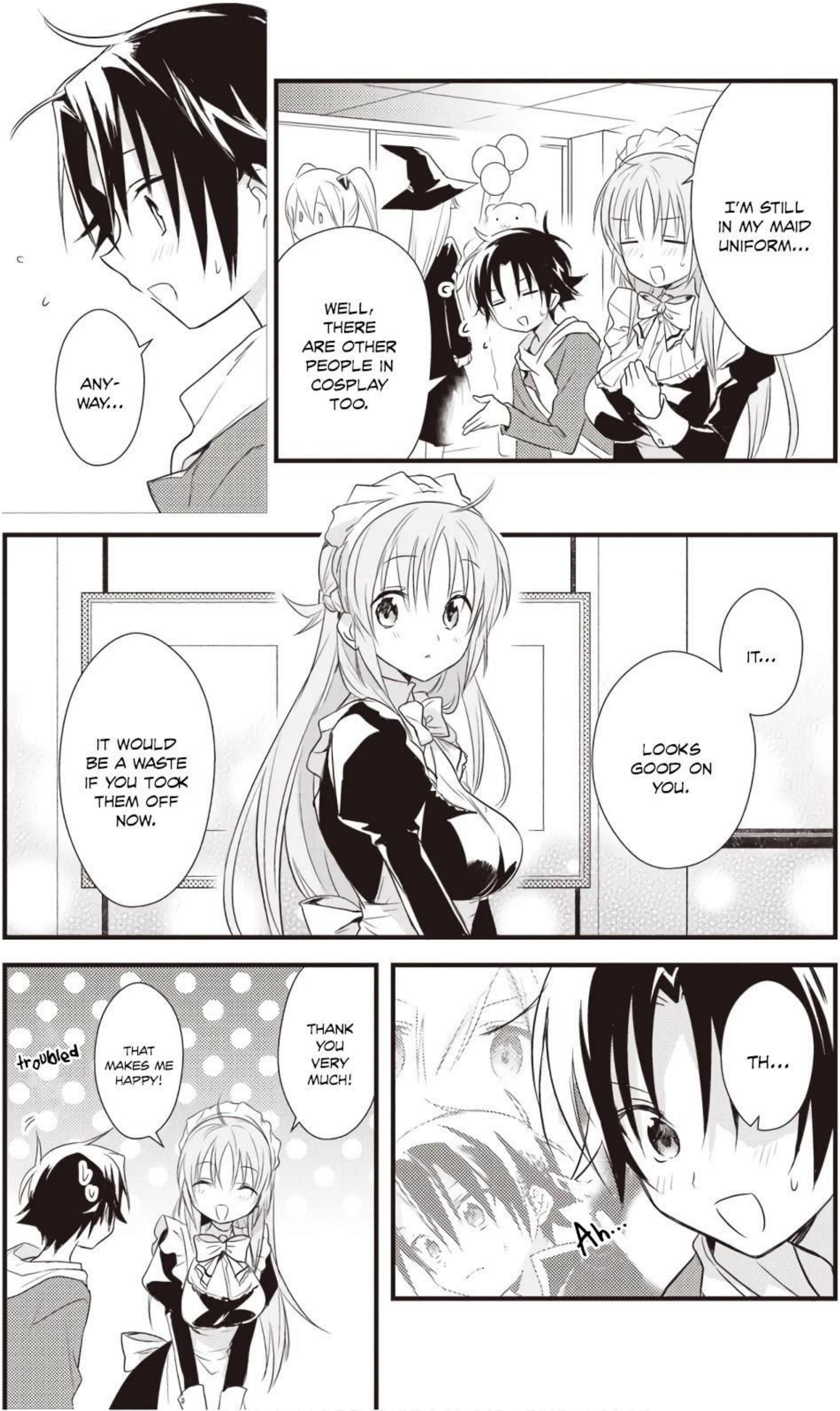

stare...
WHAT?
NOTHING ?
Hehe~
← Kitchen
Bag Room
STAFF ONLY
HAAA...
I WAS SO NERVOUS.
THANK YOU, SAOTOME-SAN.
The cookies are almost done so please wait for a bit!
Alright!
I'M SORRY, YOU'RE NOT GOOD WITH MEN, RIGHT?
UM... BUT...
I'M TRYING TO GET BETTER AT DEALING WITH STRANGERS.
HOW ABOUT THAT CHILD?
ARE YOU USED TO HIM?

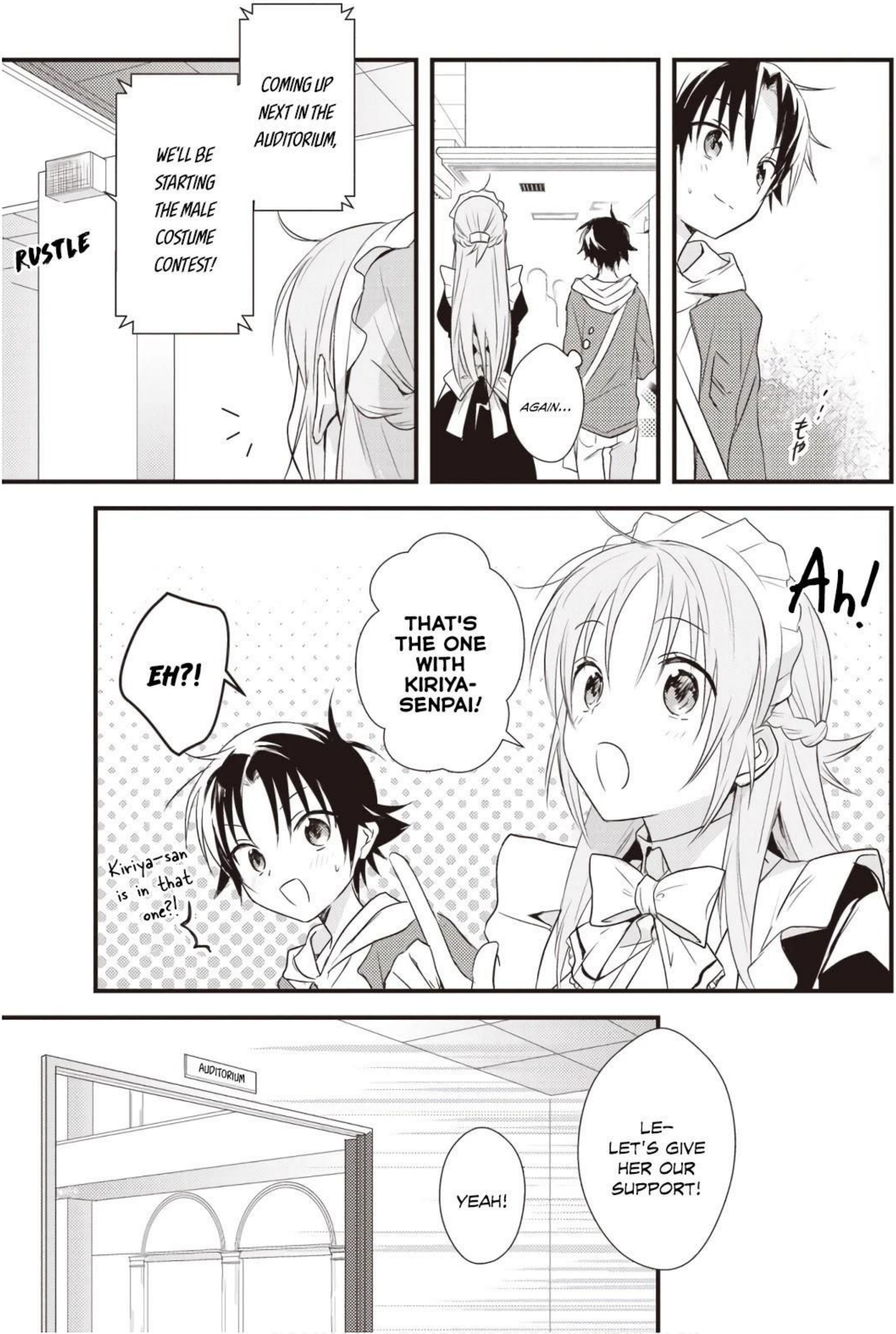

WHAT KIND OF RELATIONSHIP DO YOU HAVE WITH HIM?
HUH ?!
Uh—well. He's like a little brother to me!
LITTLE BROTHER?
BUT I HEARD YOU HAD A LITTLE SISTER, SAOTOME-SAN...
あう
She was the one who said it.
※Chapter 8
He's like my little brother...
or maybe my little sister?
I don't really understand but...
SO, IF YOU'RE LIKE FAMILY...
...ARE YOU GOING TO SPEND YOUR BREAK WITH HIM?
EH?
BUT AREN'T WE SHORT STAFFED ...?

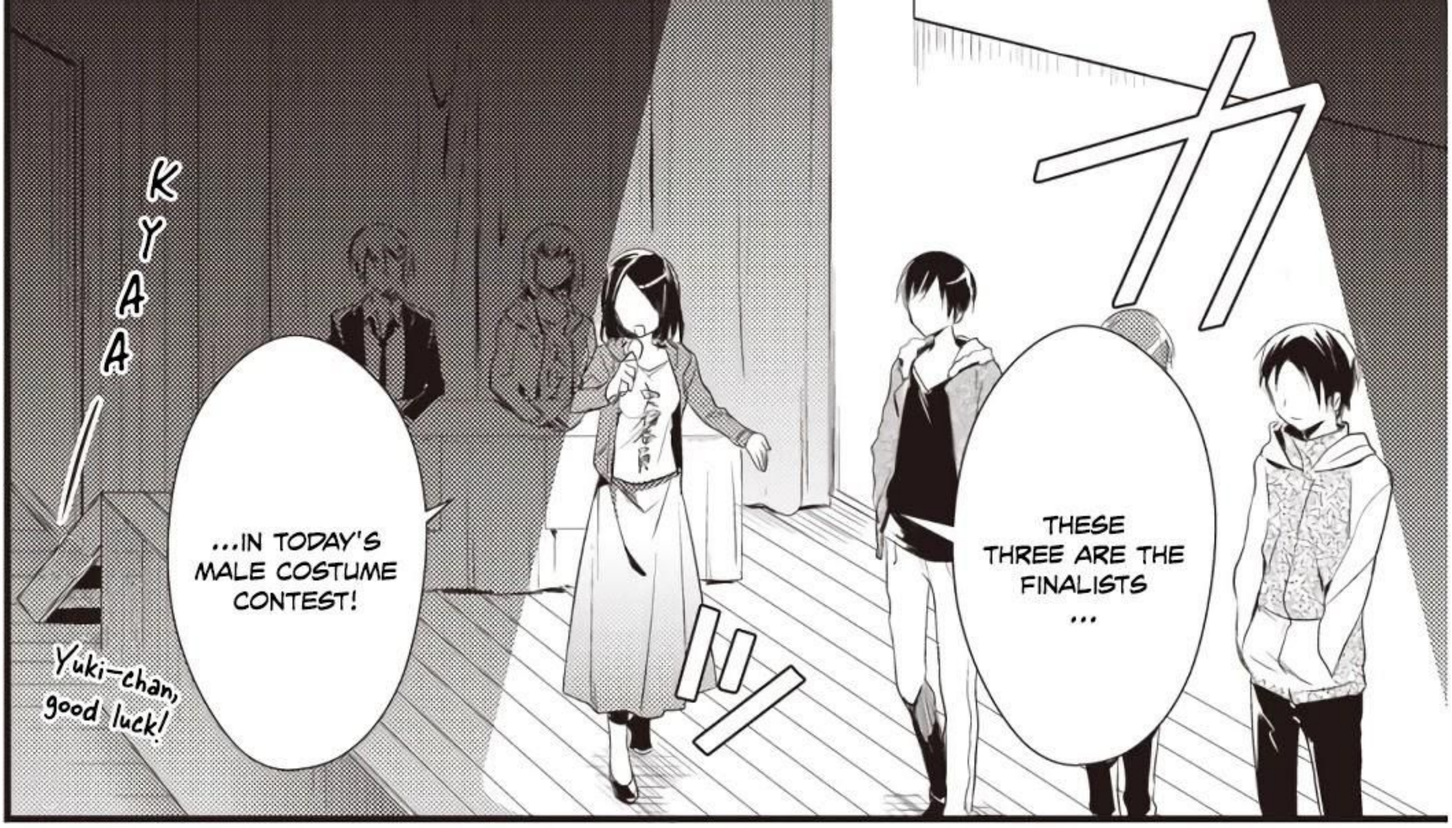

THEN LEAVE IT TO ME!
ぬっ
HWAA!!
WHILE ATHENA'S ON BREAK...
...THIS MAID WILL TAKE OVER FOR HER!
ひょこっ
ぐっ
WHILE ATHENA-CHAN IS A CLUMSY MAID
THIS CHILD IS...
A TSUNDERE MAID!

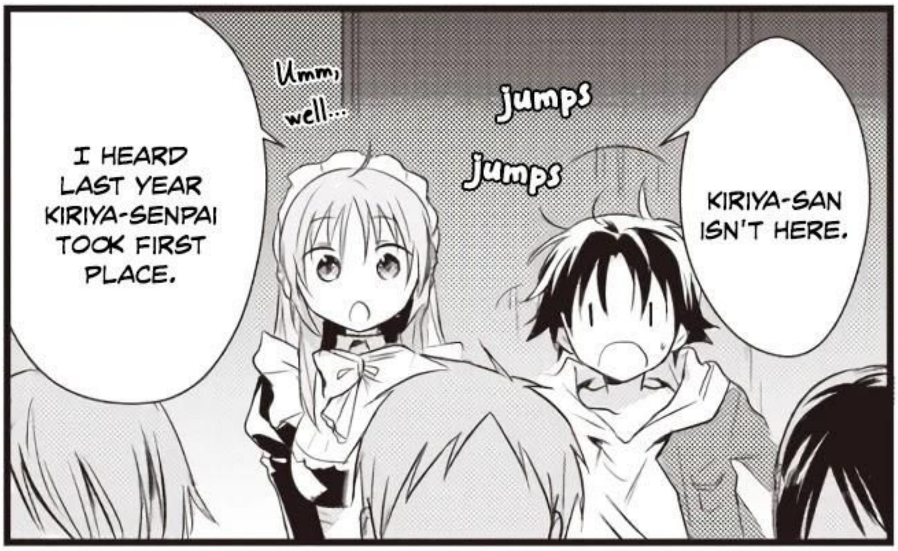

NO-NOT REALLY!
I NEVER SAID I WANTED TO WEAR A MAID OUTFIT!
STEIA-CHAN?!
IT'S MARVELOUS!
FREY-SAN
IS IT OKAY TO JUST BARGE IN LIKE THAT?
SO YOU SHOULD TAKE YOUR BREAK, ATHENA-CHAN ♡

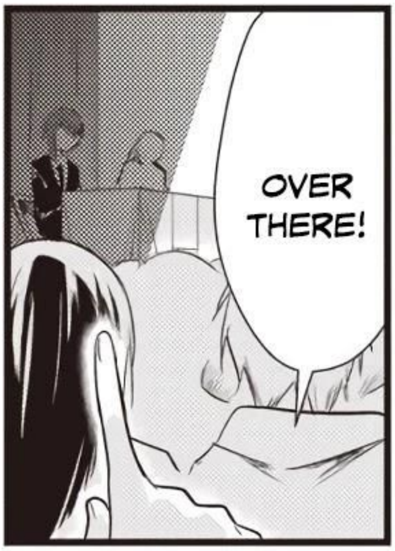

WITH KOUSHI-KUN ♪
I WASN'T EXPECTING...
...FOR IT TO TURN OUT LIKE THIS.

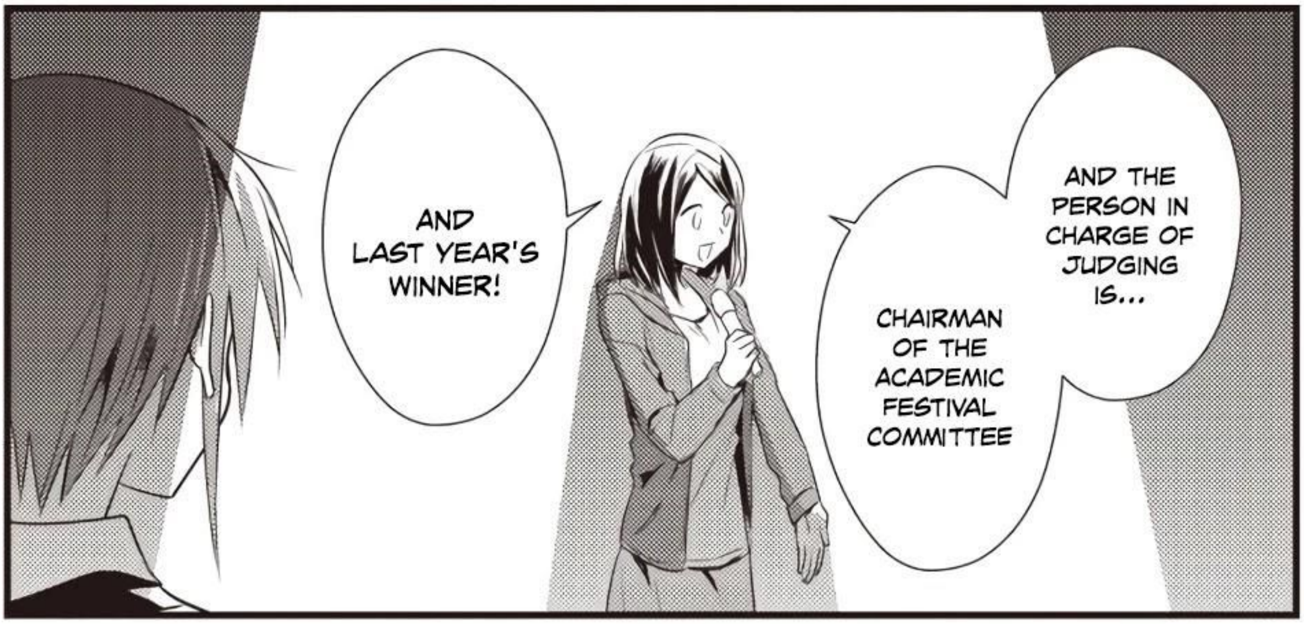

I'M STILL IN MY MAID UNIFORM...
WELL, THERE ARE OTHER PEOPLE IN COSPLAY TOO.
ANYWAY...
IT...
LOOKS GOOD ON YOU.
IT WOULD BE A WASTE IF YOU TOOK THEM OFF NOW.
TH...
Ah...
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!
THAT MAKES ME HAPPY!
troubled

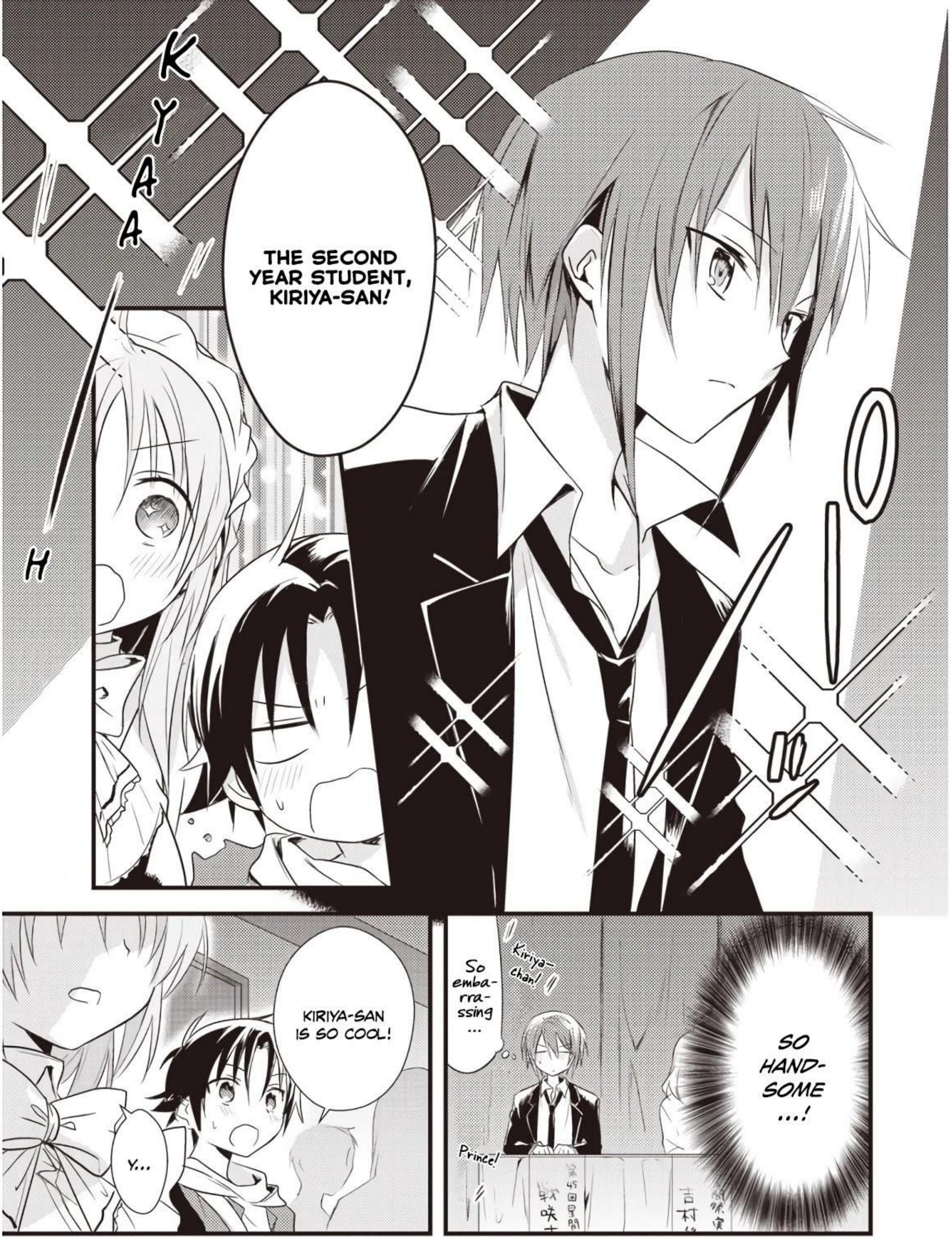

...!
もや
AGAIN...
COMING UP NEXT IN THE AUDITORIUM,
WE'LL BE STARTING THE MALE COSTUME CONTEST!
RUSTLE
Ah!
THAT'S THE ONE WITH KIRIYA-SENPAI!
EH?!
Kiriya-san is in that one?!
LE- LET'S GIVE HER OUR SUPPORT!
YEAH!
AUDITORIUM

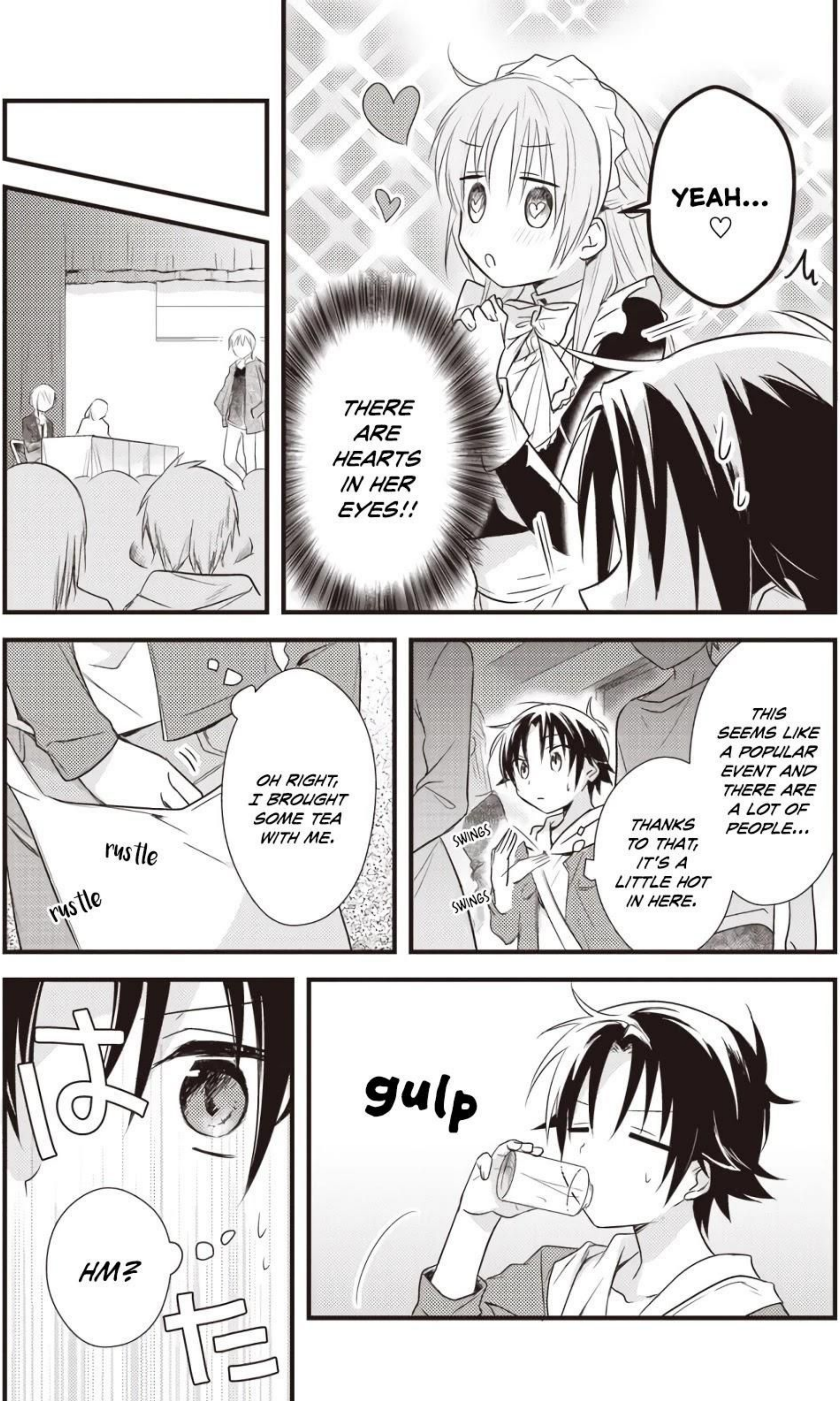

THESE THREE ARE THE FINALISTS ...
...IN TODAY'S MALE COSTUME CONTEST!
KYAA—
Yuki-chan, good luck!

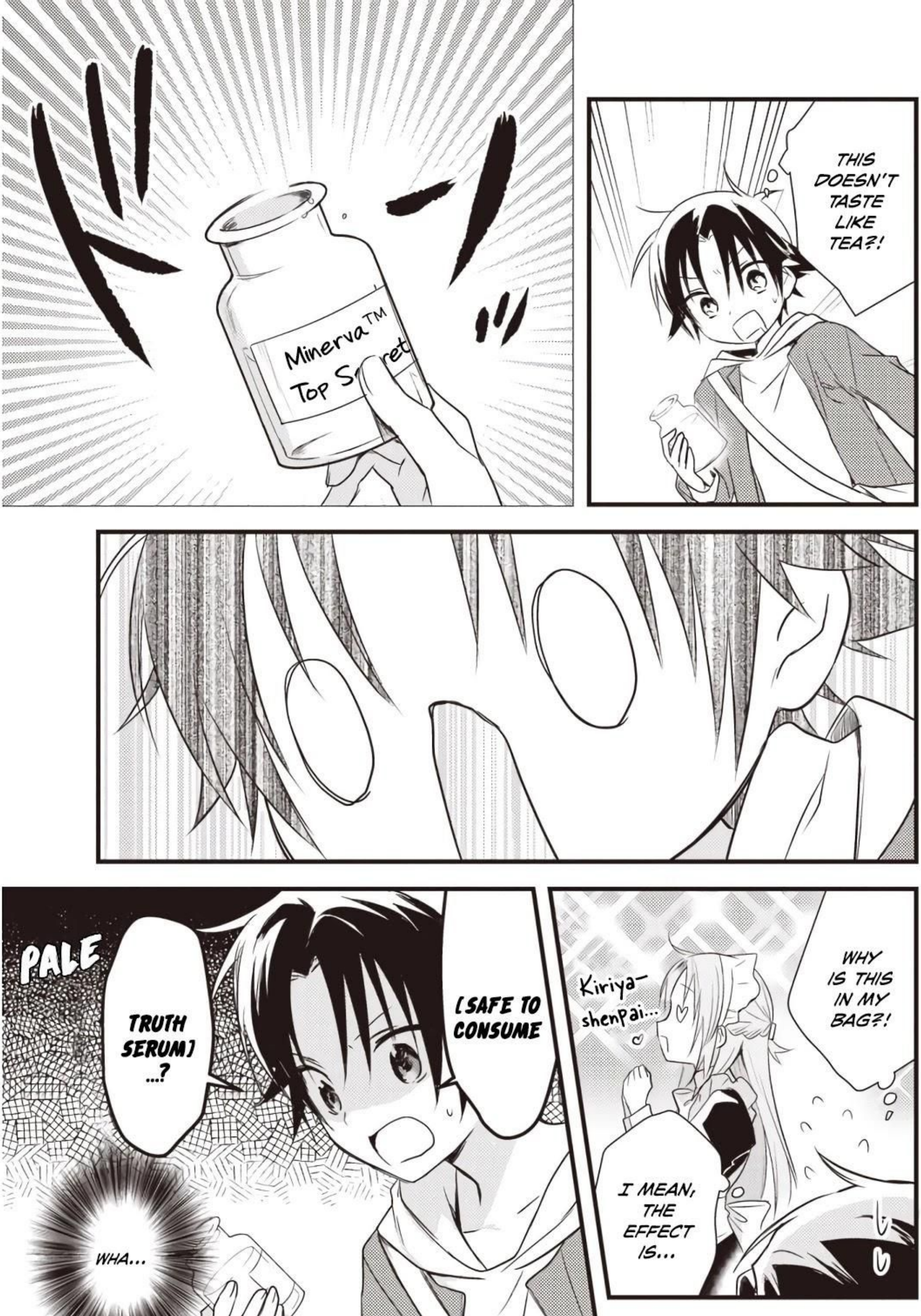

KIRIYA-SAN ISN'T HERE.
jumps
jumps
Umm, well...
I HEARD LAST YEAR KIRIYA-SENPAI TOOK FIRST PLACE.

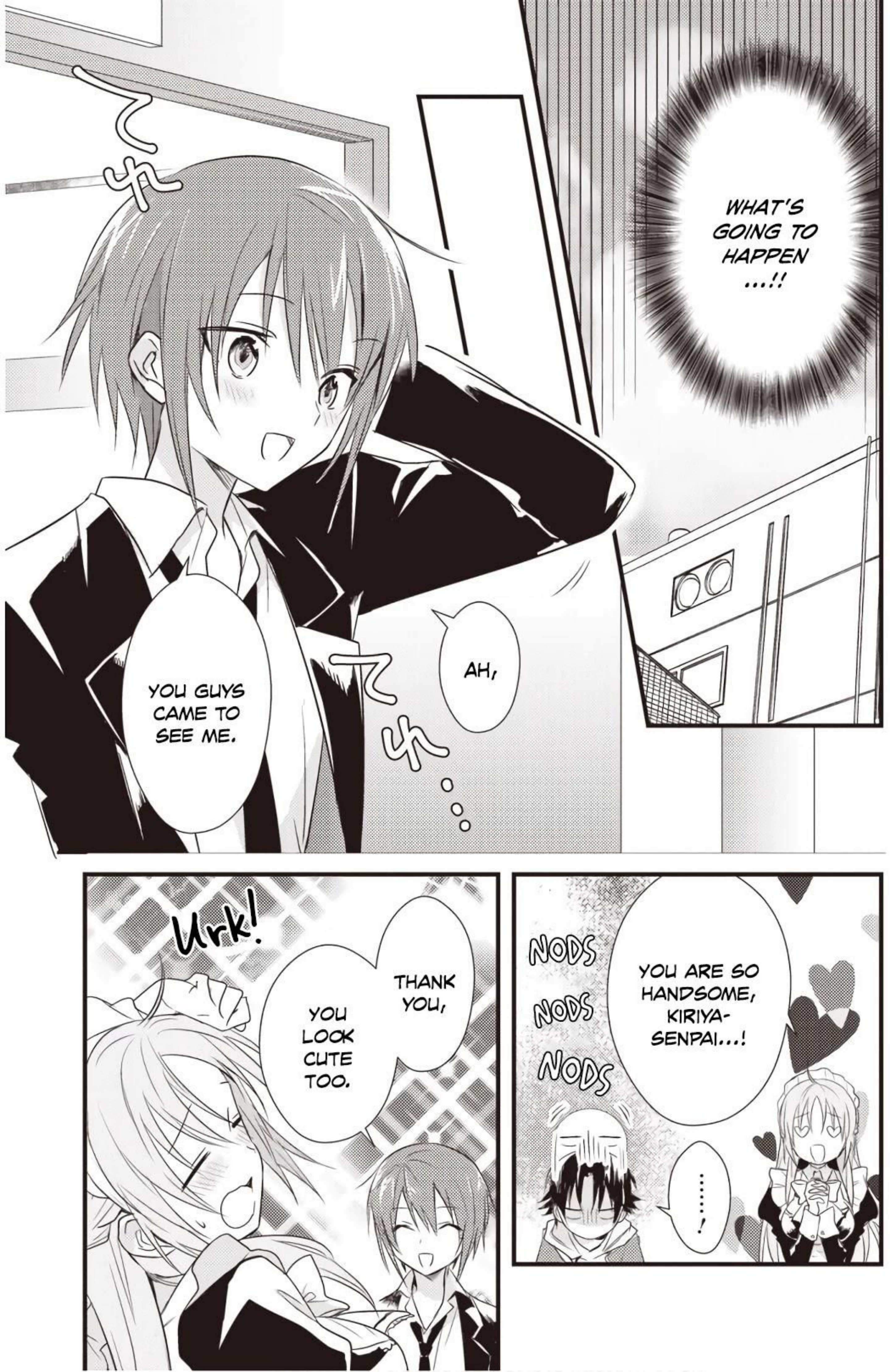

OVER THERE!

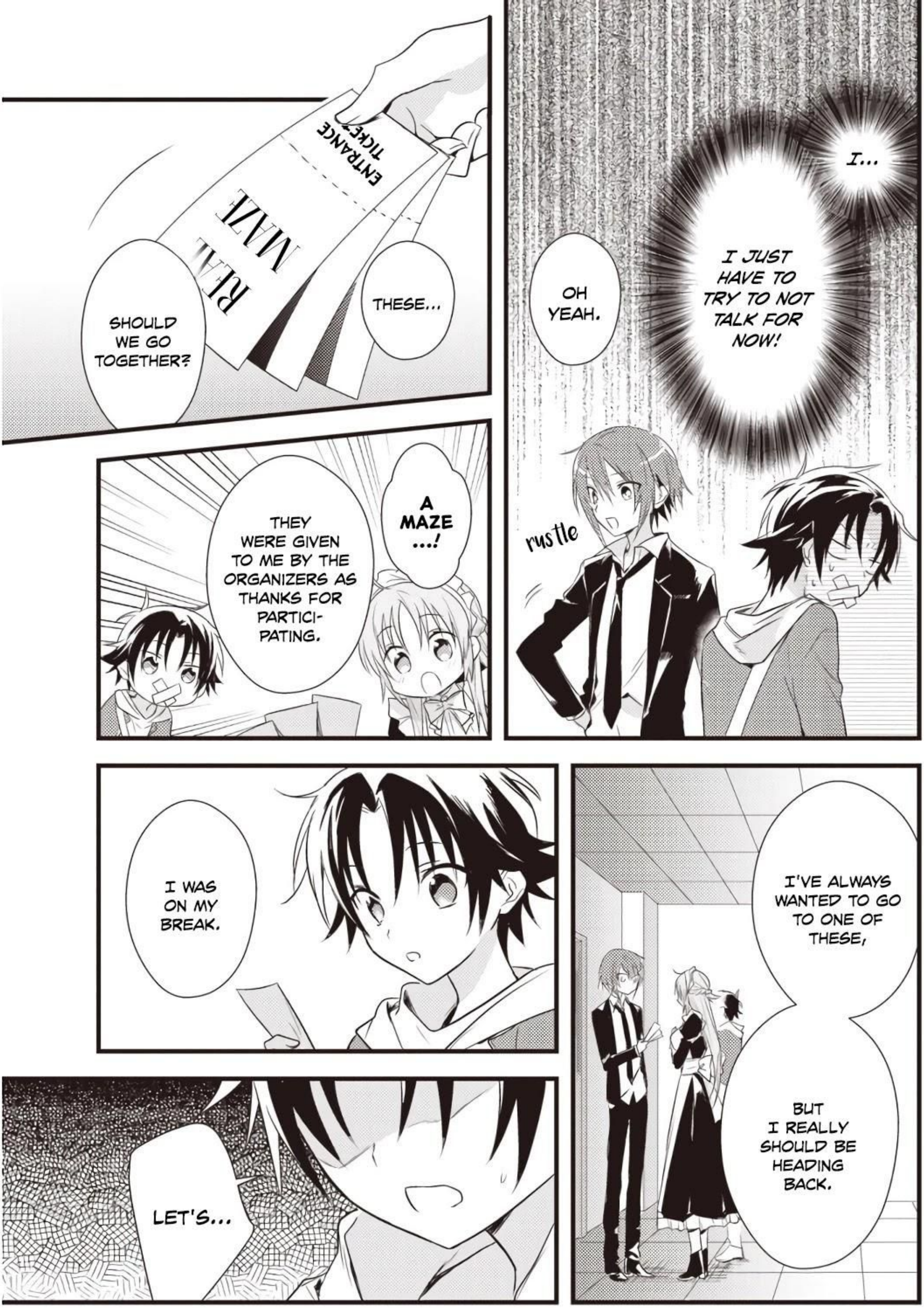

AND THE PERSON IN CHARGE OF JUDGING IS...
CHAIRMAN OF THE ACADEMIC FESTIVAL COMMITTEE
AND LAST YEAR'S WINNER!

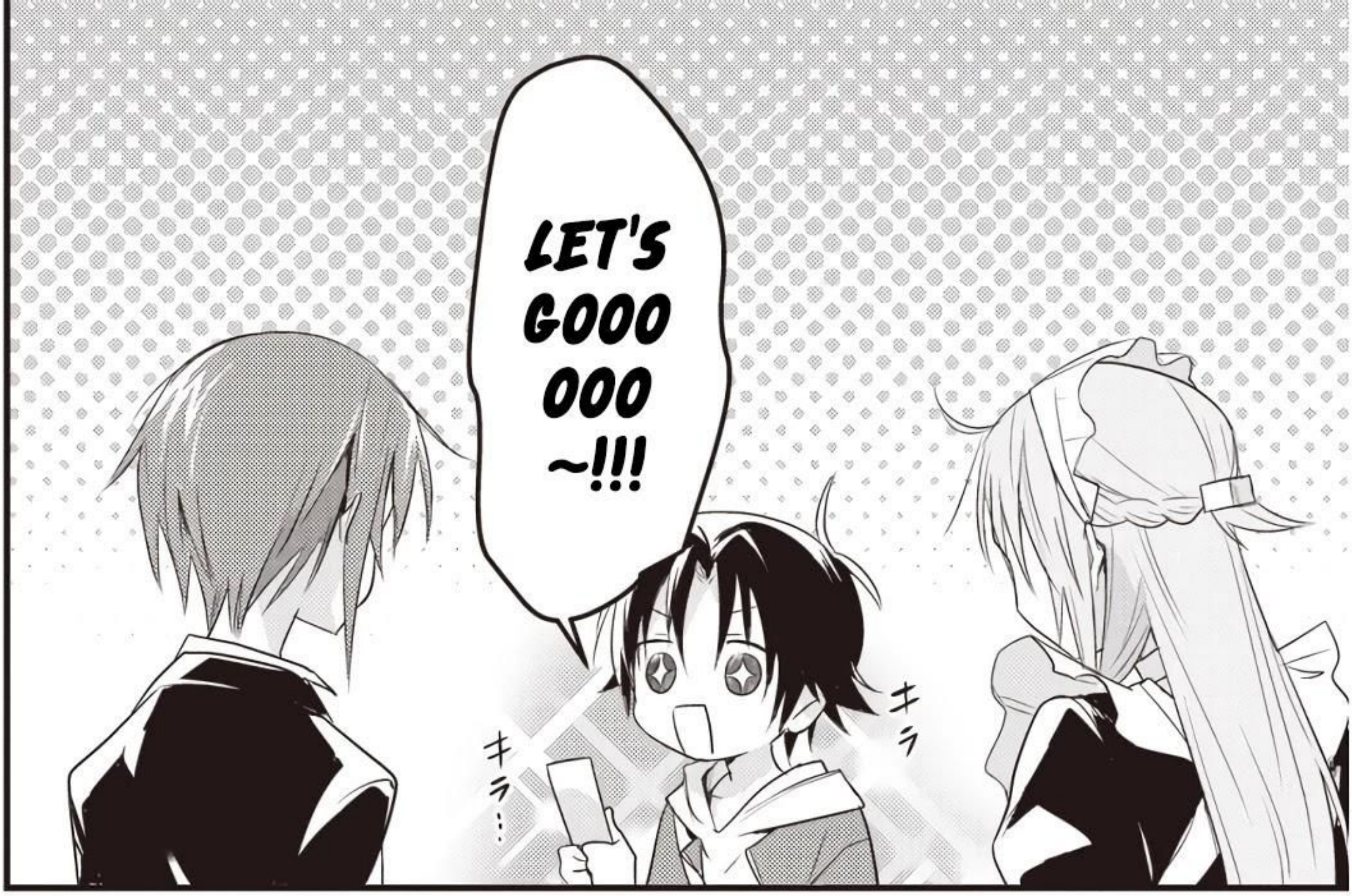

KYAAAH
THE SECOND YEAR STUDENT, KIRIYA-SAN!
Kiriya-chan!
So embarrassing...
SO HANDSOME...!
Prince!
KIRIYA-SAN IS SO COOL!
Y...

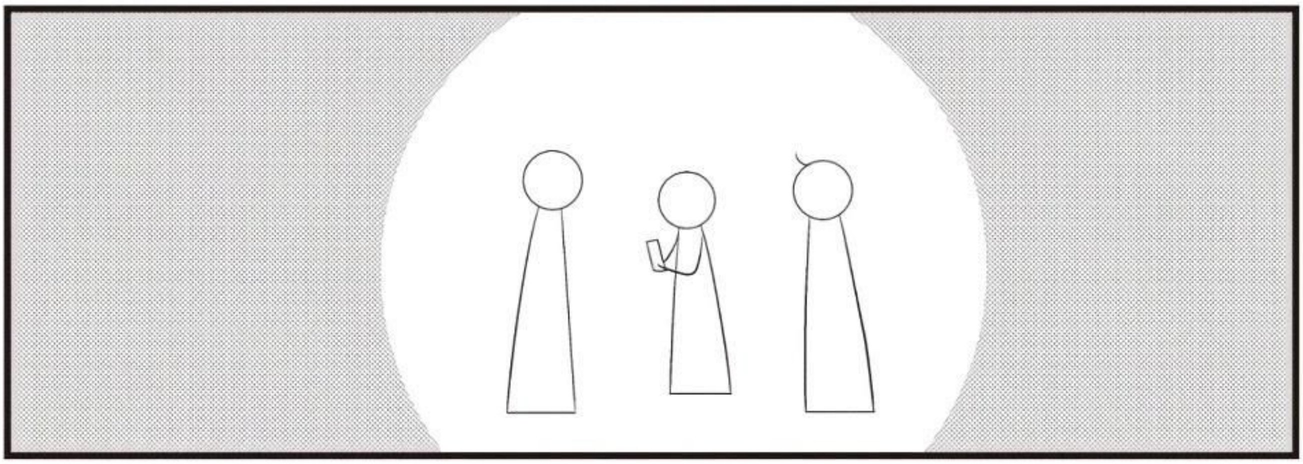

YEAH... ♡
THERE ARE HEARTS IN HER EYES!!
THIS SEEMS LIKE A POPULAR EVENT AND THERE ARE A LOT OF PEOPLE...
THANKS TO THAT, IT'S A LITTLE HOT IN HERE.
SWINGS
SWINGS
OH RIGHT, I BROUGHT SOME TEA WITH ME.
rustle
rustle
gulp
HM?
はた

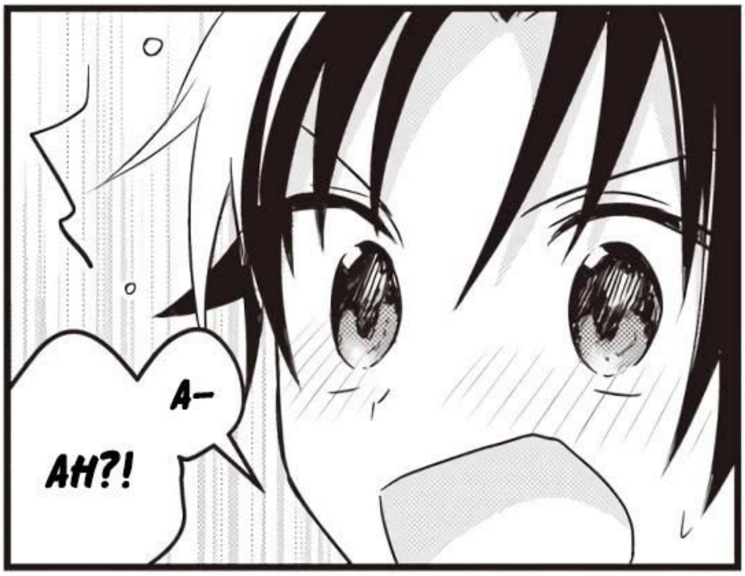

THIS DOESN'T TASTE LIKE TEA?!
ドーン
Minerva™ Top Secret
PALE
[SAFE TO CONSUME
TRUTH SERUM] ...?
WHA...
WHY IS THIS IN MY BAG?!
I MEAN, THE EFFECT IS...
Kiriya-shenpai... ♡

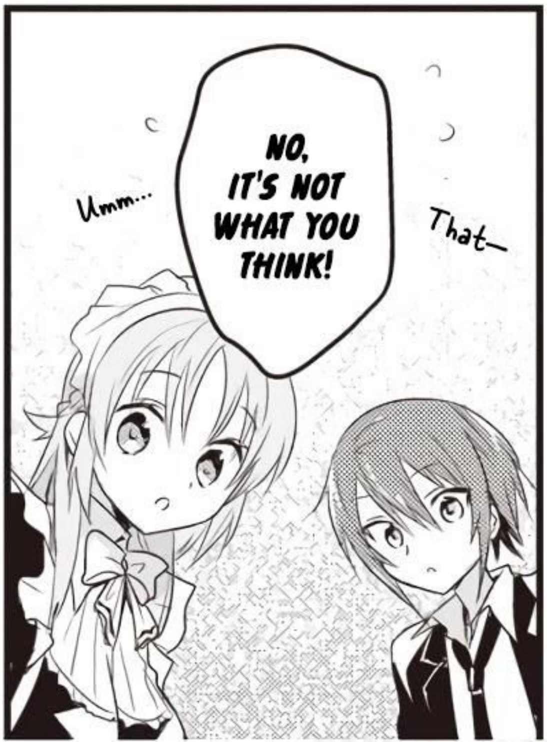

WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN ...!!
てれ
AH,
てれ...
YOU GUYS CAME TO SEE ME.
YOU ARE SO HANDSOME, KIRIYA-SENPAI...!
NODS NODS NODS
......!
THANK YOU,
YOU LOOK CUTE TOO.
Urk!

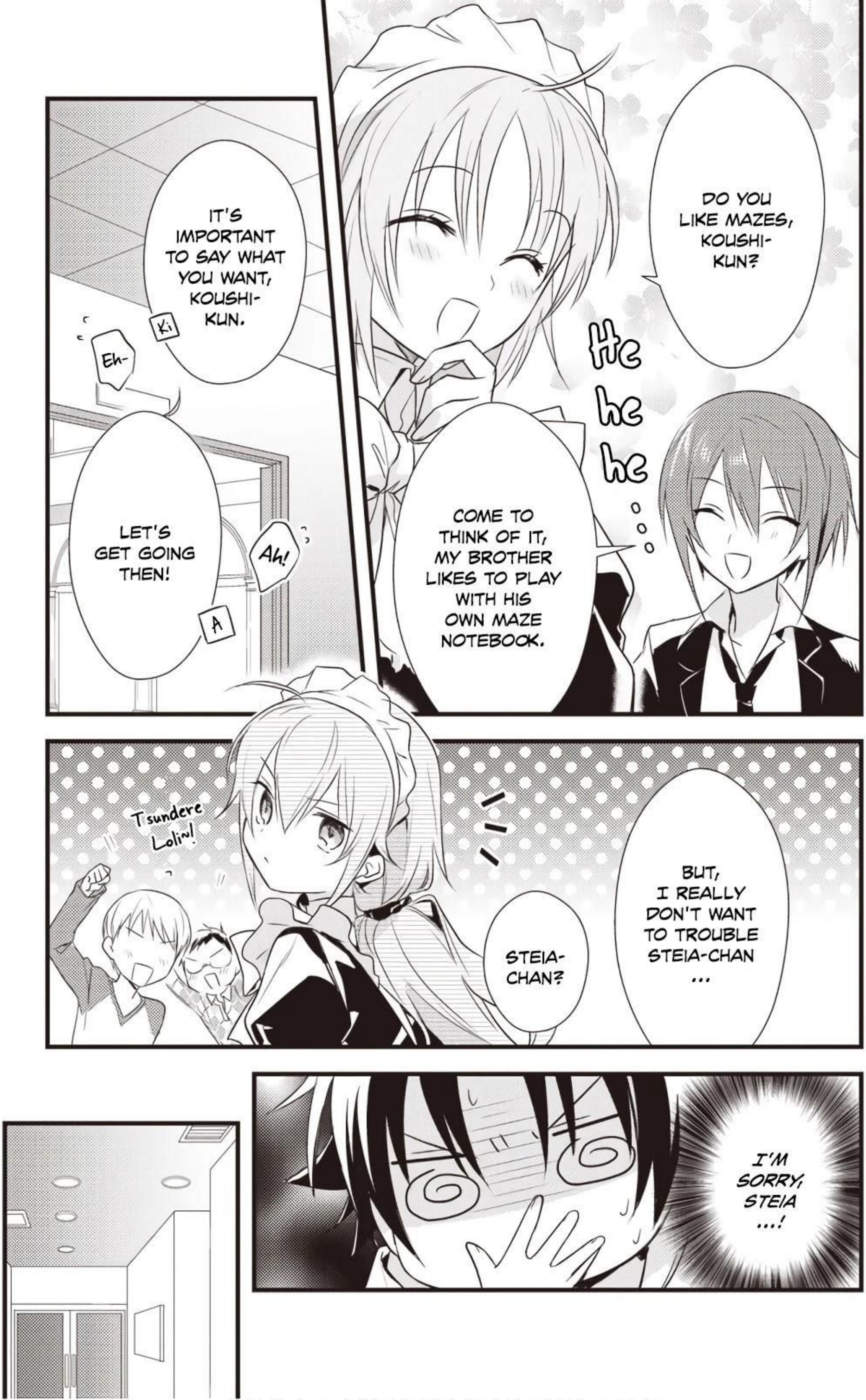

I...
I JUST HAVE TO TRY TO NOT TALK FOR NOW!
OH YEAH.
rustle
THESE...
ENTRANCE TICKE
REAL MAZE
SHOULD WE GO TOGETHER?
A MAZE ...!
THEY WERE GIVEN TO ME BY THE ORGANIZERS AS THANKS FOR PARTICIPATING.
I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO GO TO ONE OF THESE,
BUT I REALLY SHOULD BE HEADING BACK.
I WAS ON MY BREAK.
LET'S...

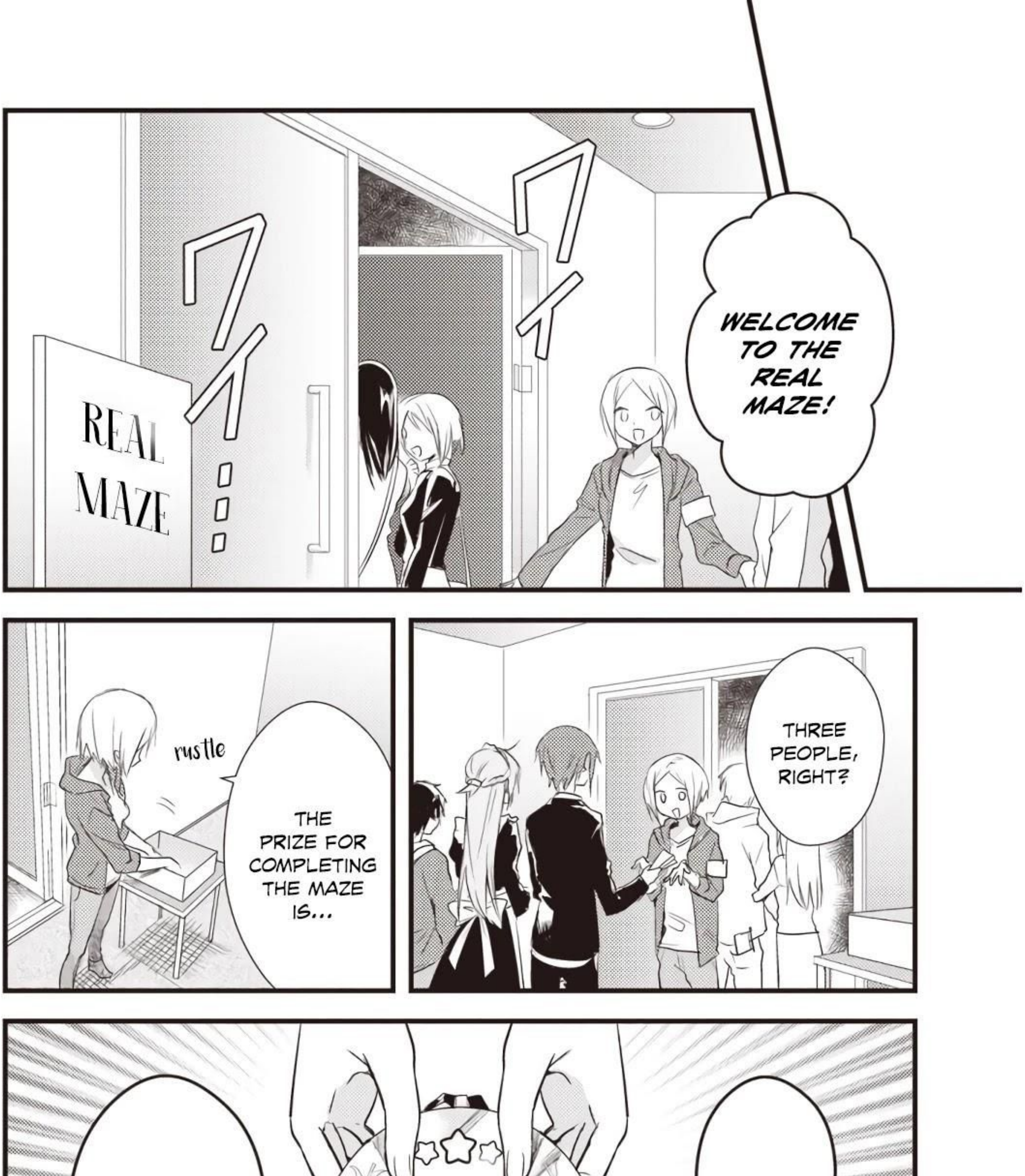

LET'S GOOO OOO ~!!!
キラ
キラ…

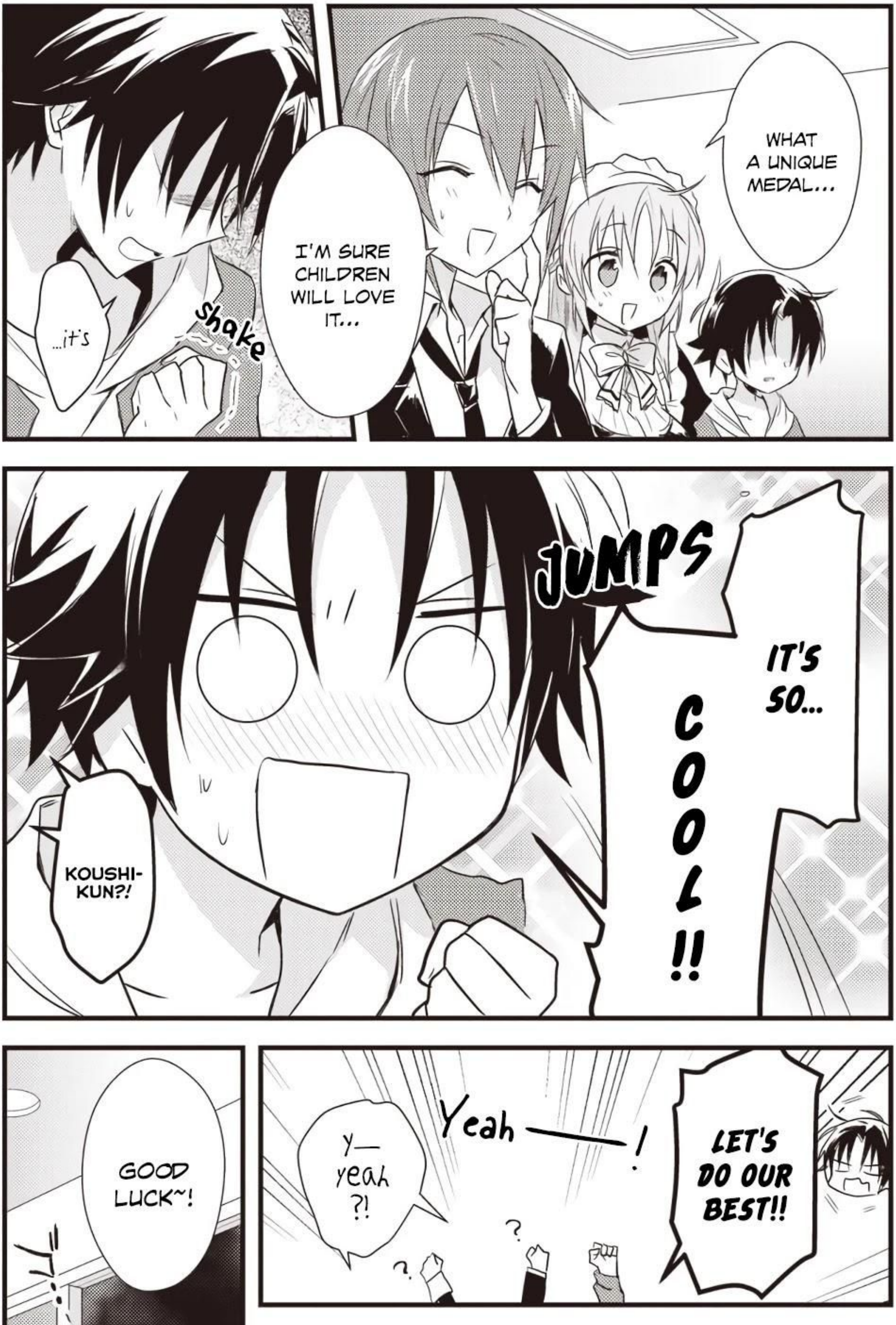


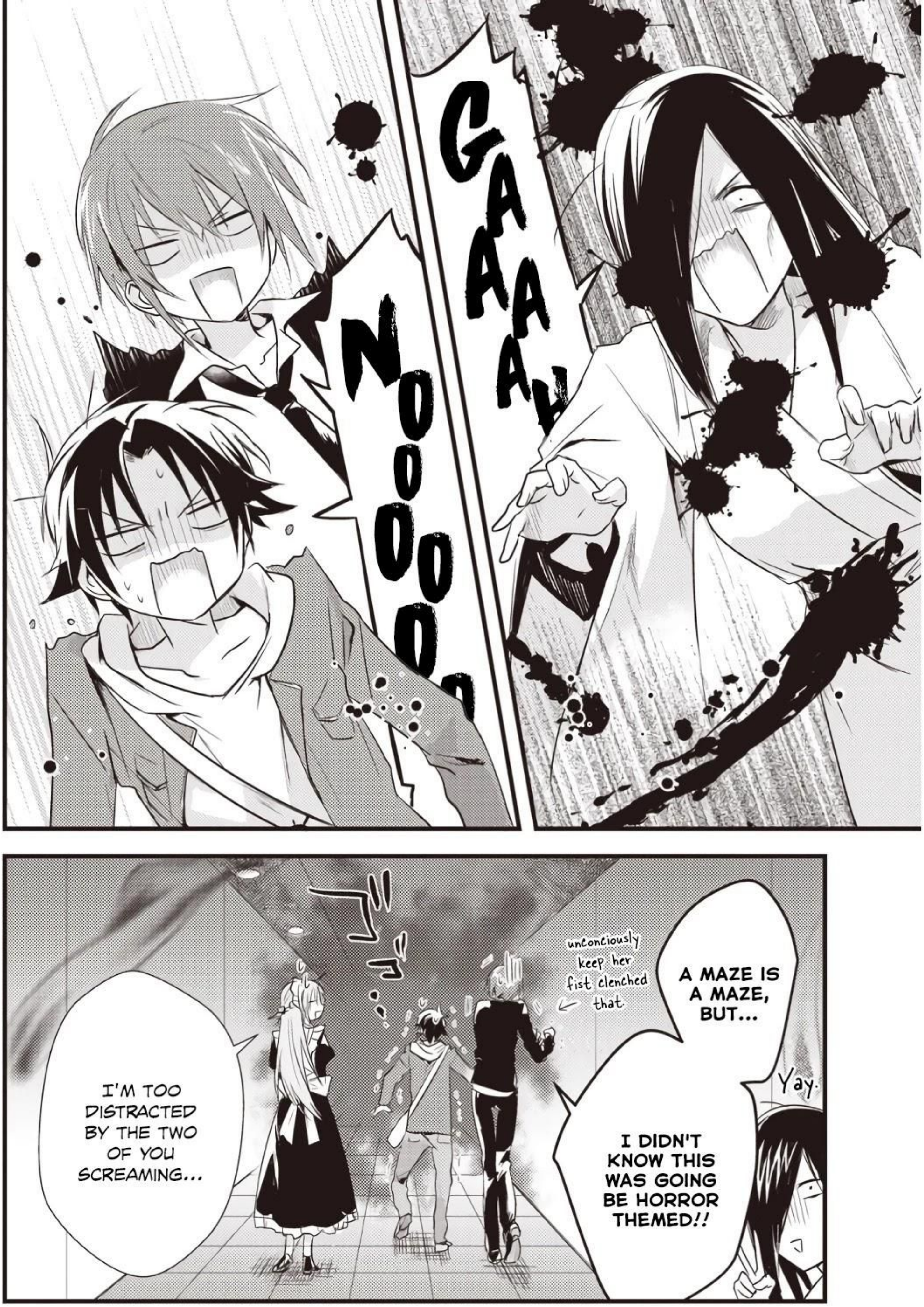

A-AH?!

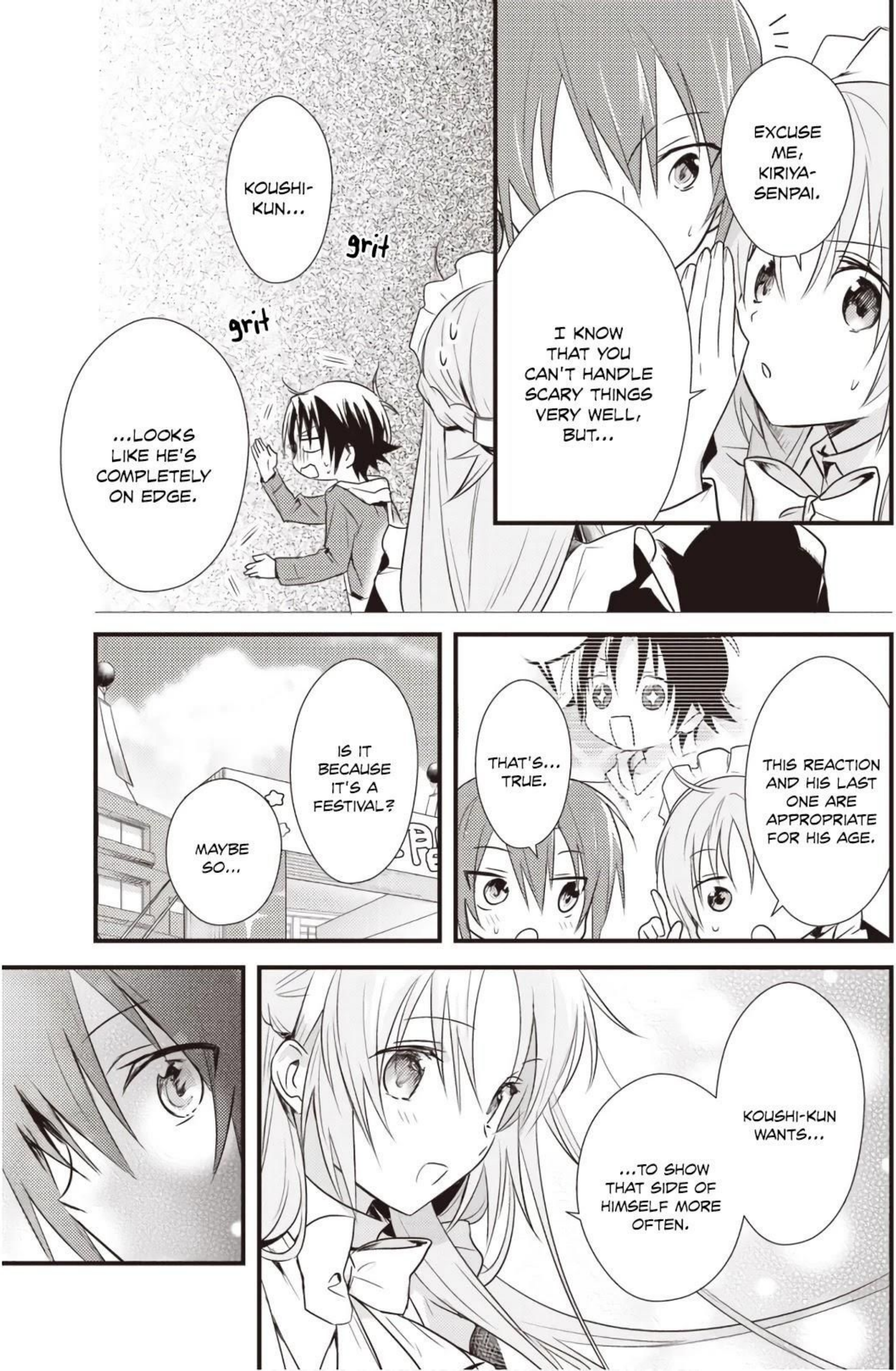

That—
NO, IT'S NOT WHAT YOU THINK!
Umm...

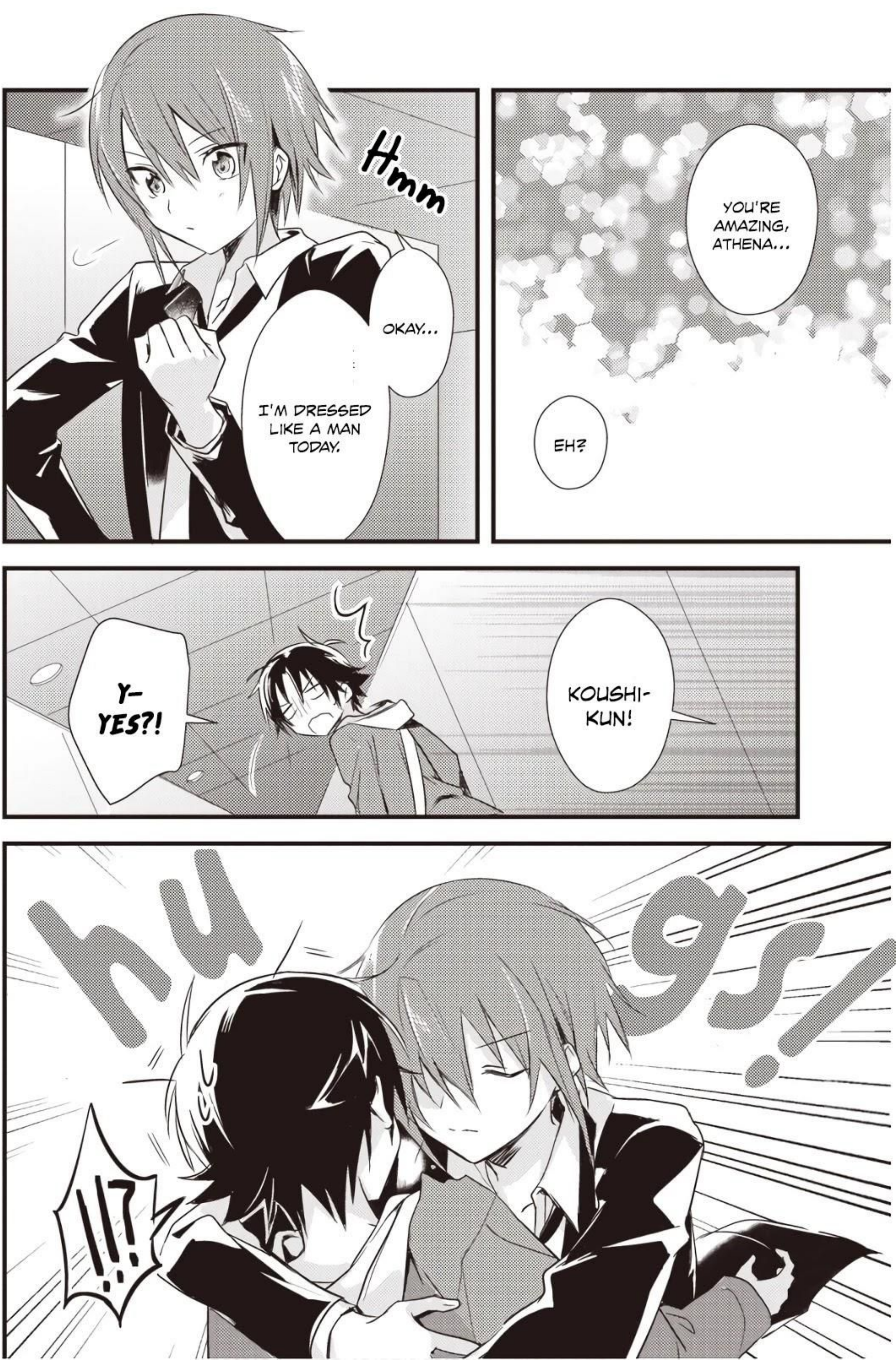

DO YOU LIKE MAZES, KOUSHI-KUN?
He he he
COME TO THINK OF IT, MY BROTHER LIKES TO PLAY WITH HIS OWN MAZE NOTEBOOK.
IT'S IMPORTANT TO SAY WHAT YOU WANT, KOUSHI-KUN.
Ki
Eh-
LET'S GET GOING THEN!
Ah!
A
BUT, I REALLY DON'T WANT TO TROUBLE STEIA-CHAN ...
STEIA-CHAN?
Tsundere Loli~!
I'M SORRY, STEIA ...!

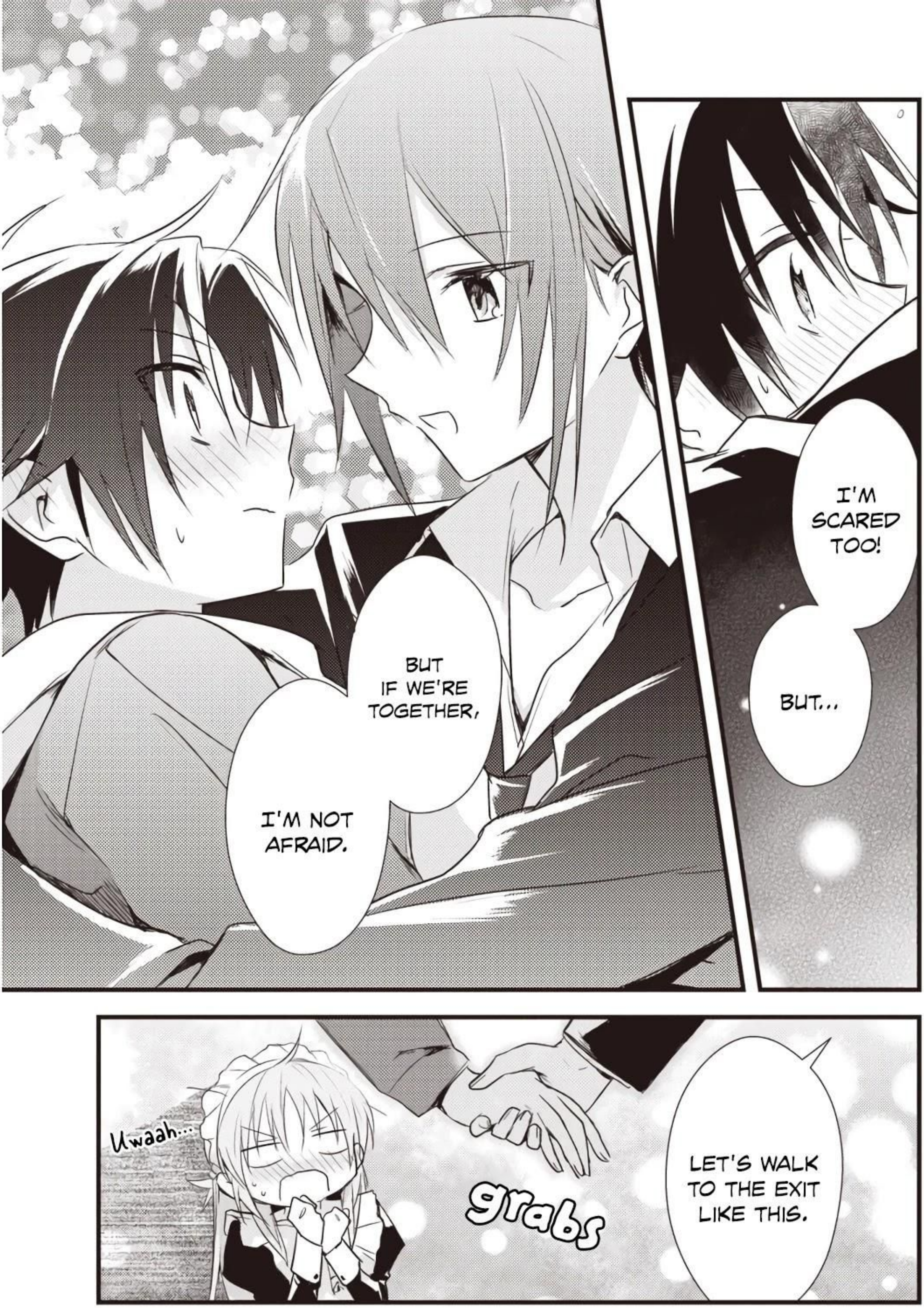

WELCOME TO THE REAL MAZE!
ワイ
ワイ…
REAL MAZE
THREE PEOPLE, RIGHT?
rustle
THE PRIZE FOR COMPLETING THE MAZE IS…
THIS!
WE'RE HANDING THESE OUT!
YOU'RE A HERO!
PAN PAKA PA～N!

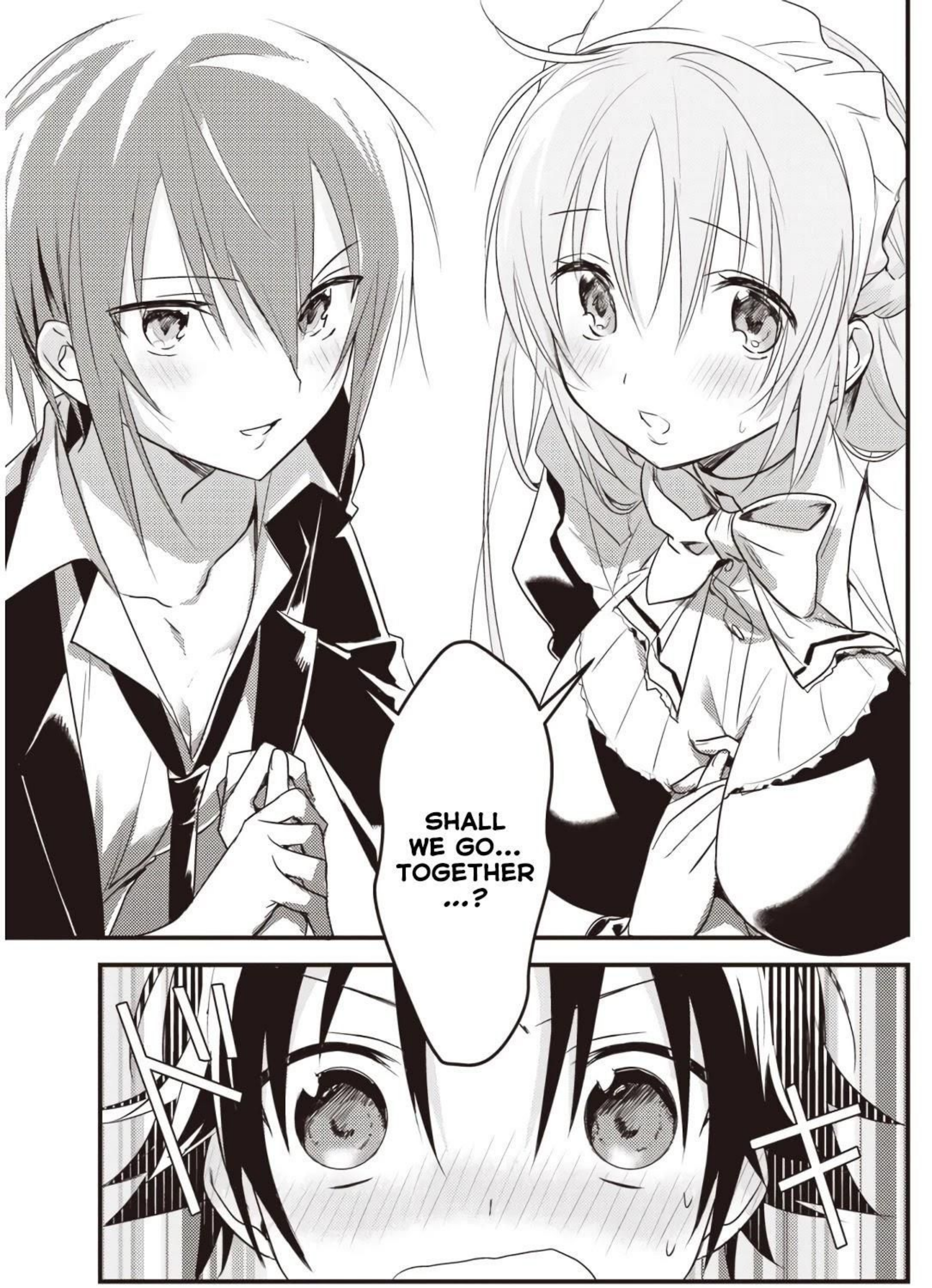

WHAT A UNIQUE MEDAL...
I'M SURE CHILDREN WILL LOVE IT...
shake
...it's
JUMPS
IT'S SO...
COOOL!!
KOUSHI-KUN?!
LET'S DO OUR BEST!!
Yeah——!
y— yeah?!
?
?
GOOD LUCK~!

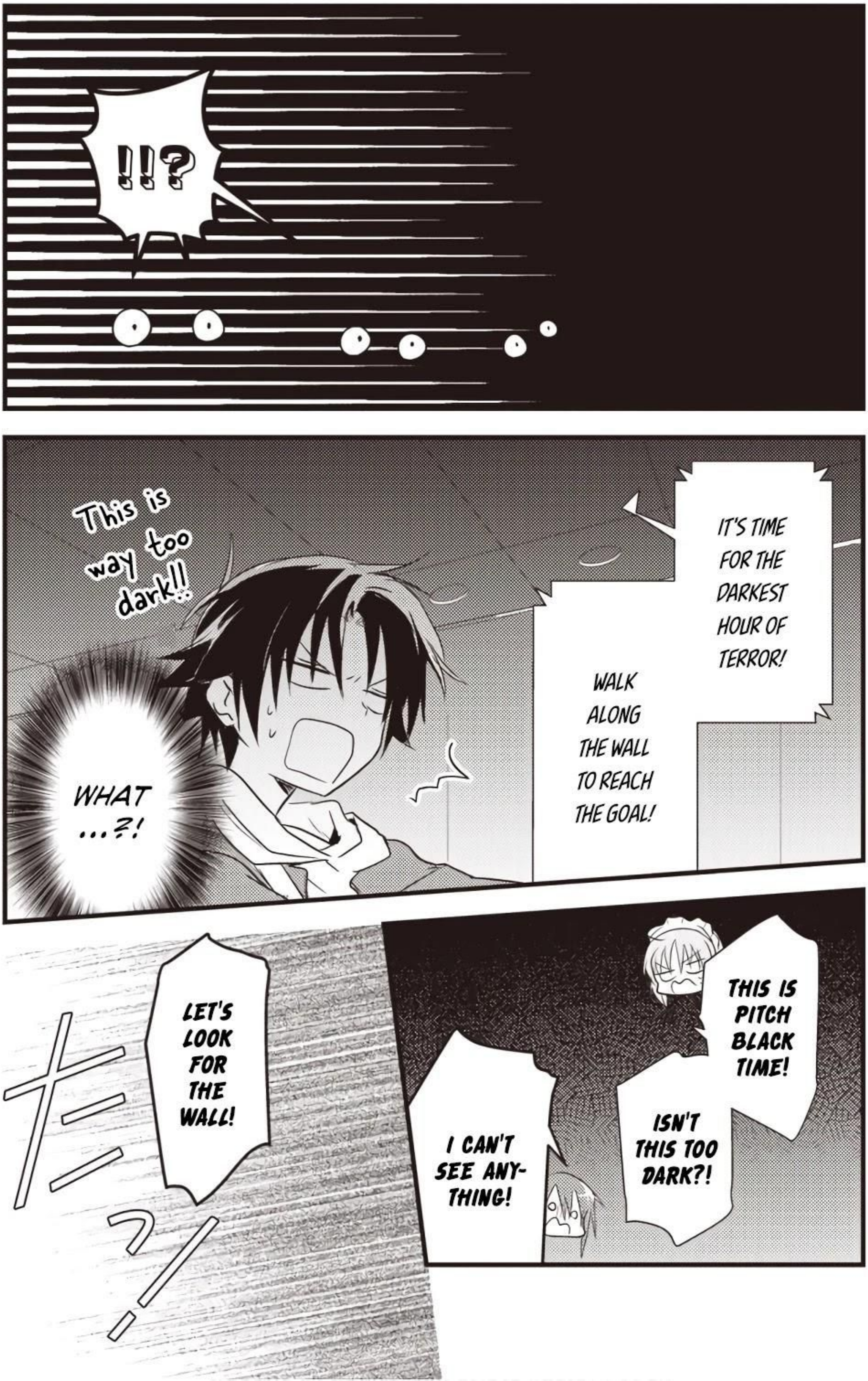

GAAAAH
NOOOOOO
Yay.
A MAZE IS A MAZE, BUT...
I DIDN'T KNOW THIS WAS GOING BE HORROR THEMED!!
unconciously keep her fist clenched that.
I'M TOO DISTRACTED BY THE TWO OF YOU SCREAMING...

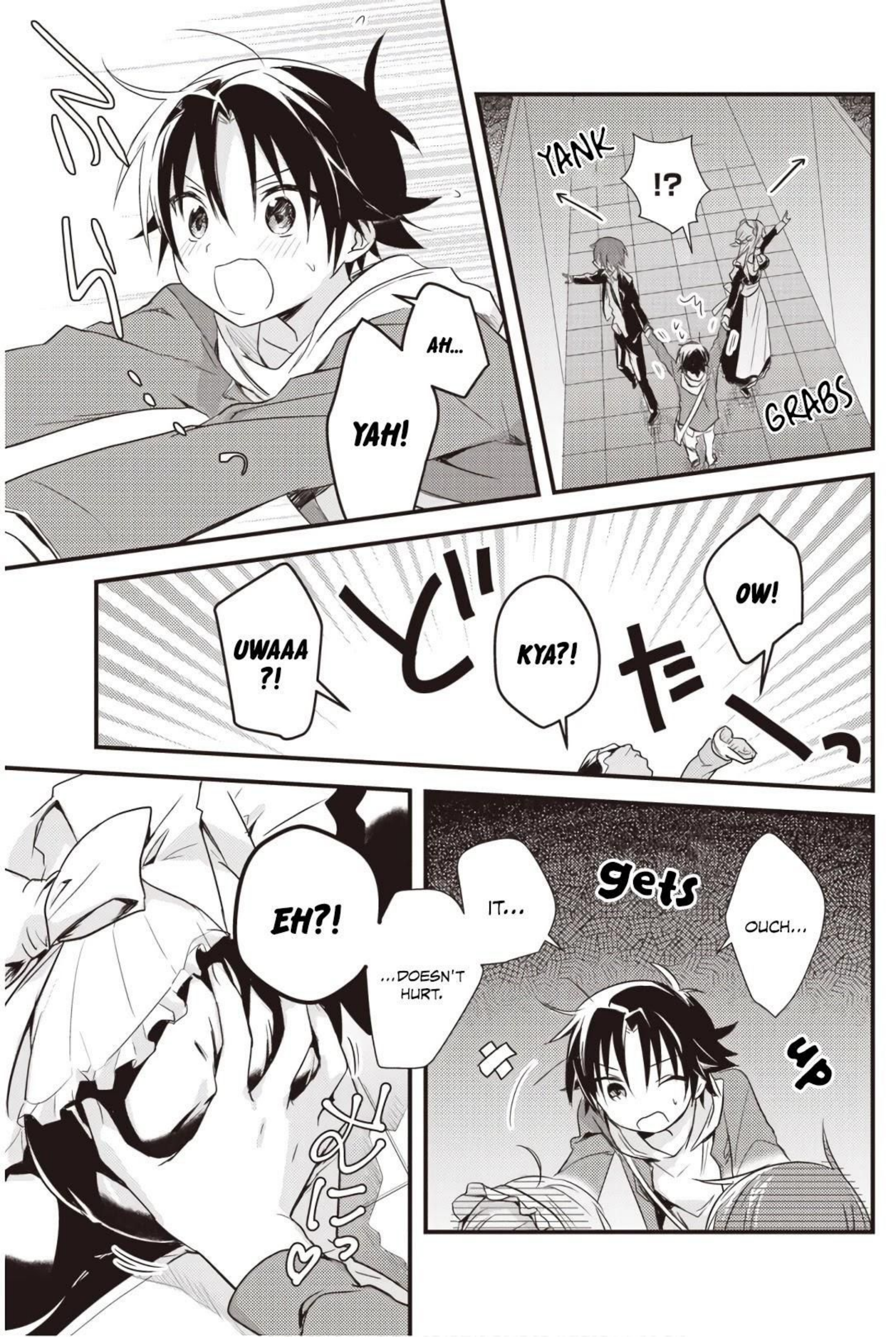

EXCUSE ME, KIRIYA-SENPAI.
I KNOW THAT YOU CAN'T HANDLE SCARY THINGS VERY WELL, BUT...
KOUSHI-KUN...
grit
grit
...LOOKS LIKE HE'S COMPLETELY ON EDGE.
THIS REACTION AND HIS LAST ONE ARE APPROPRIATE FOR HIS AGE.
THAT'S... TRUE.
IS IT BECAUSE IT'S A FESTIVAL?
MAYBE SO...
KOUSHI-KUN WANTS...
...TO SHOW THAT SIDE OF HIMSELF MORE OFTEN.

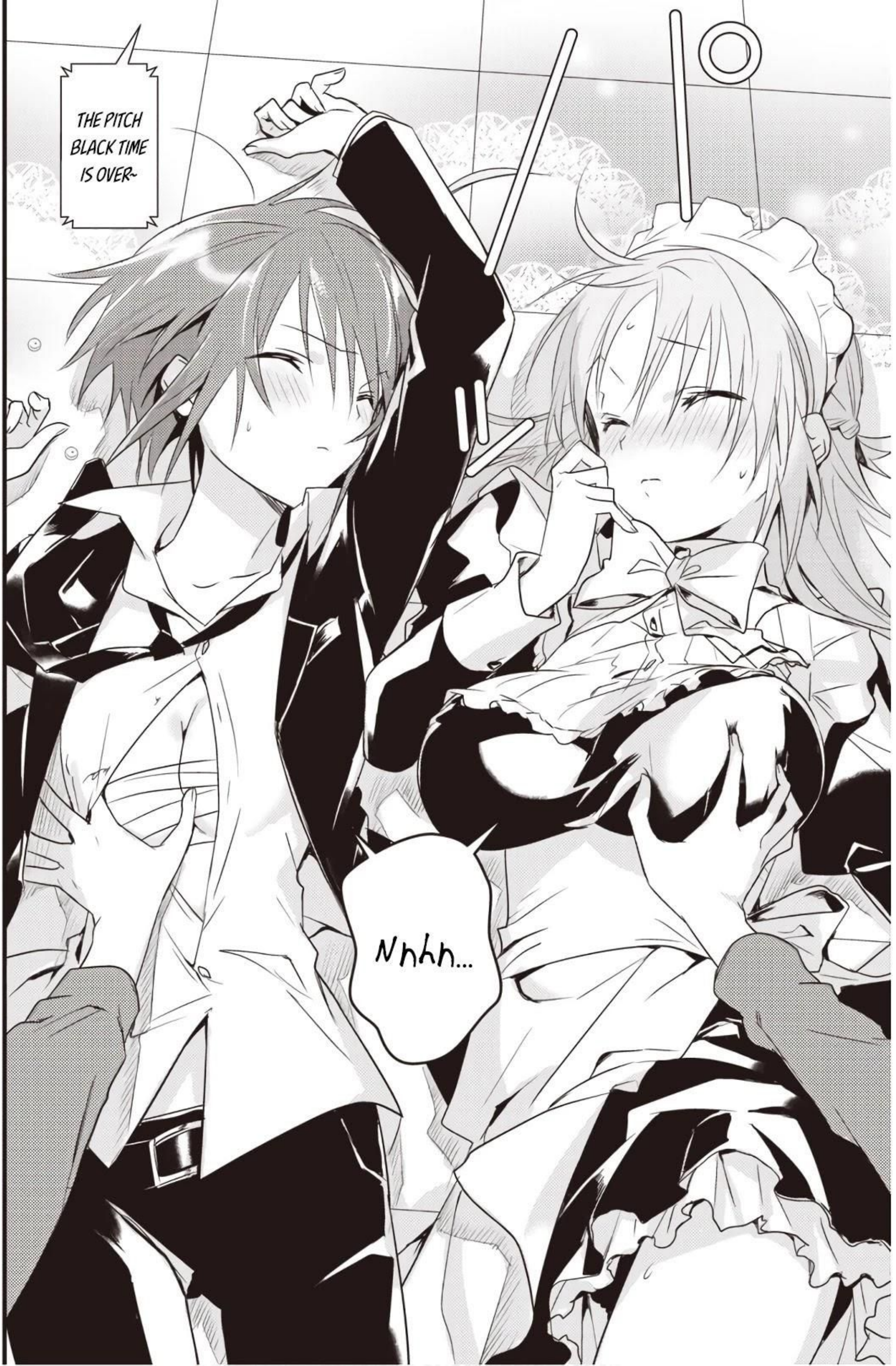

YOU'RE AMAZING, ATHENA...
EH?
Hmm
OKAY... I'M DRESSED LIKE A MAN TODAY.
KOUSHI-KUN!
Y-YES?!
hugs!
!!?

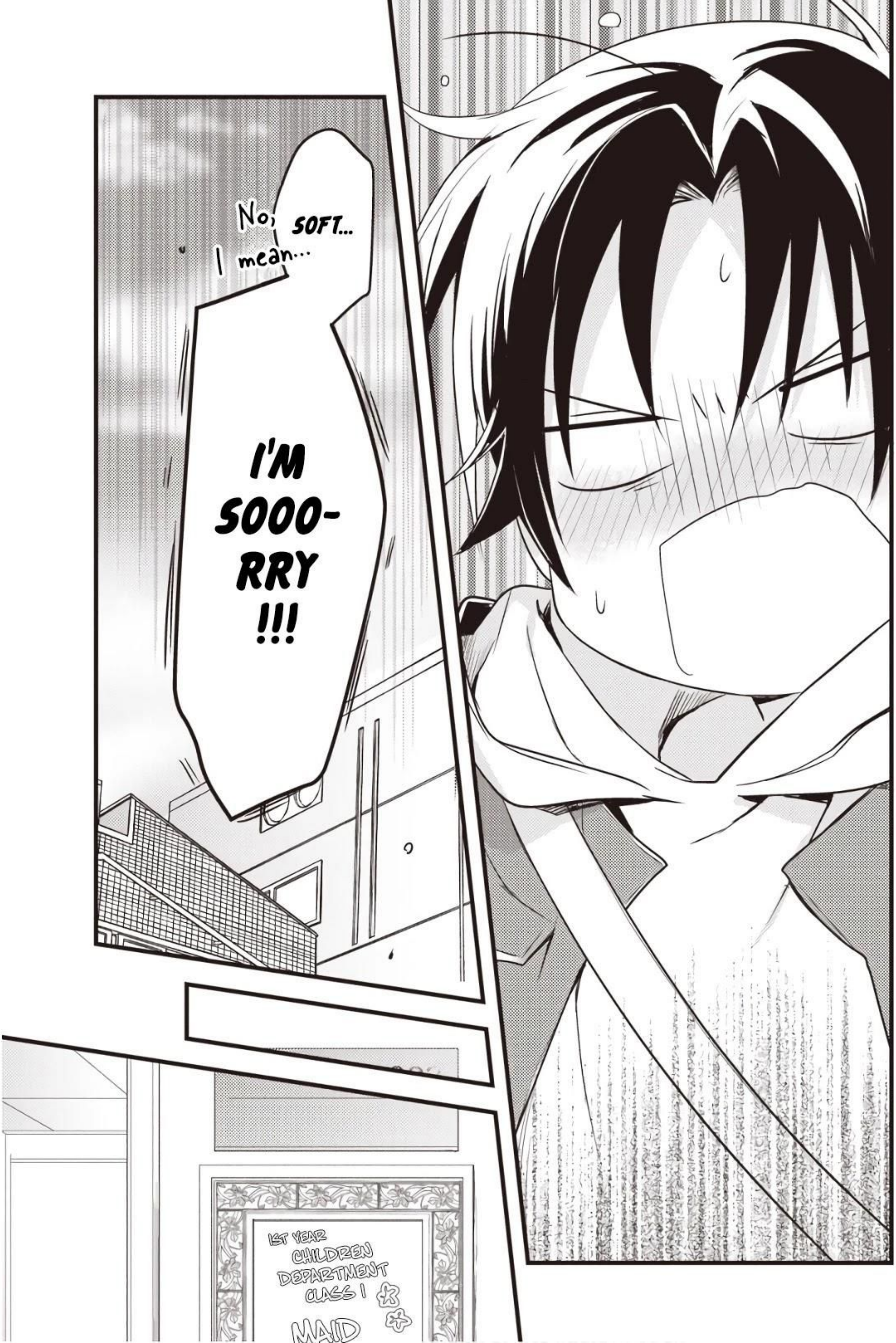

I'M SCARED TOO!
BUT...
BUT IF WE'RE TOGETHER,
I'M NOT AFRAID.
LET'S WALK TO THE EXIT LIKE THIS.
grabs
Uwaah...


SHALL WE GO... TOGETHER ...?


!!?
IT'S TIME FOR THE DARKEST HOUR OF TERROR!
WALK ALONG THE WALL TO REACH THE GOAL!
This is way too dark!!
WHAT...?!
THIS IS PITCH BLACK TIME!
ISN'T THIS TOO DARK?!
I CAN'T SEE ANYTHING!
LET'S LOOK FOR THE WALL!
ダーッ!


AH...
YAH!
YANK
!?
GRABS
OW!
KYA?!
UWAAA ?!
どたーっ
OUCH...
gets up
IT...
...DOESN'T HURT.
EH?!
むにっ♡


THE PITCH BLACK TIME IS OVER~
Nnhn...


No, SOFT... I mean...
I'M SOOOO-RRY!!!
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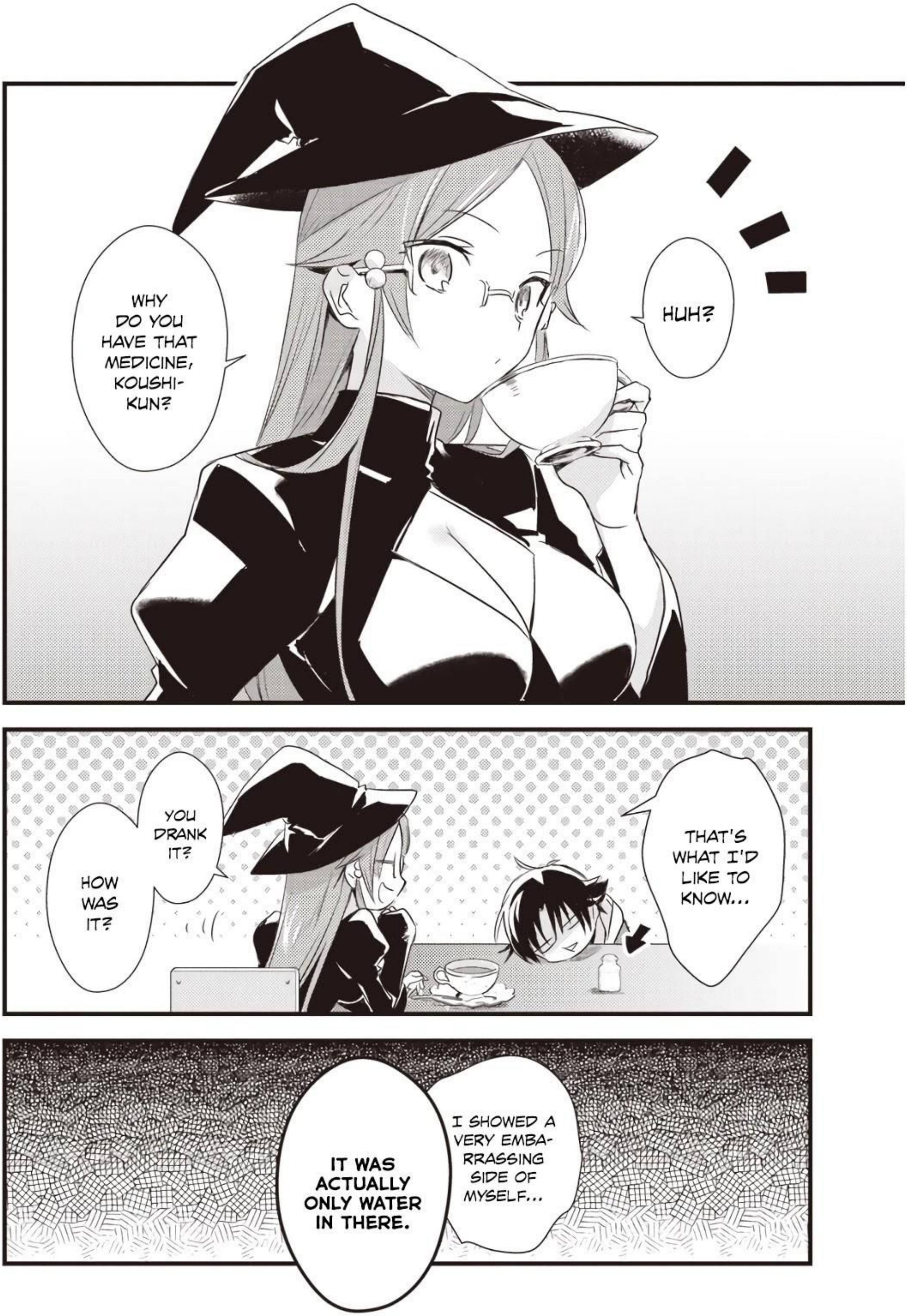
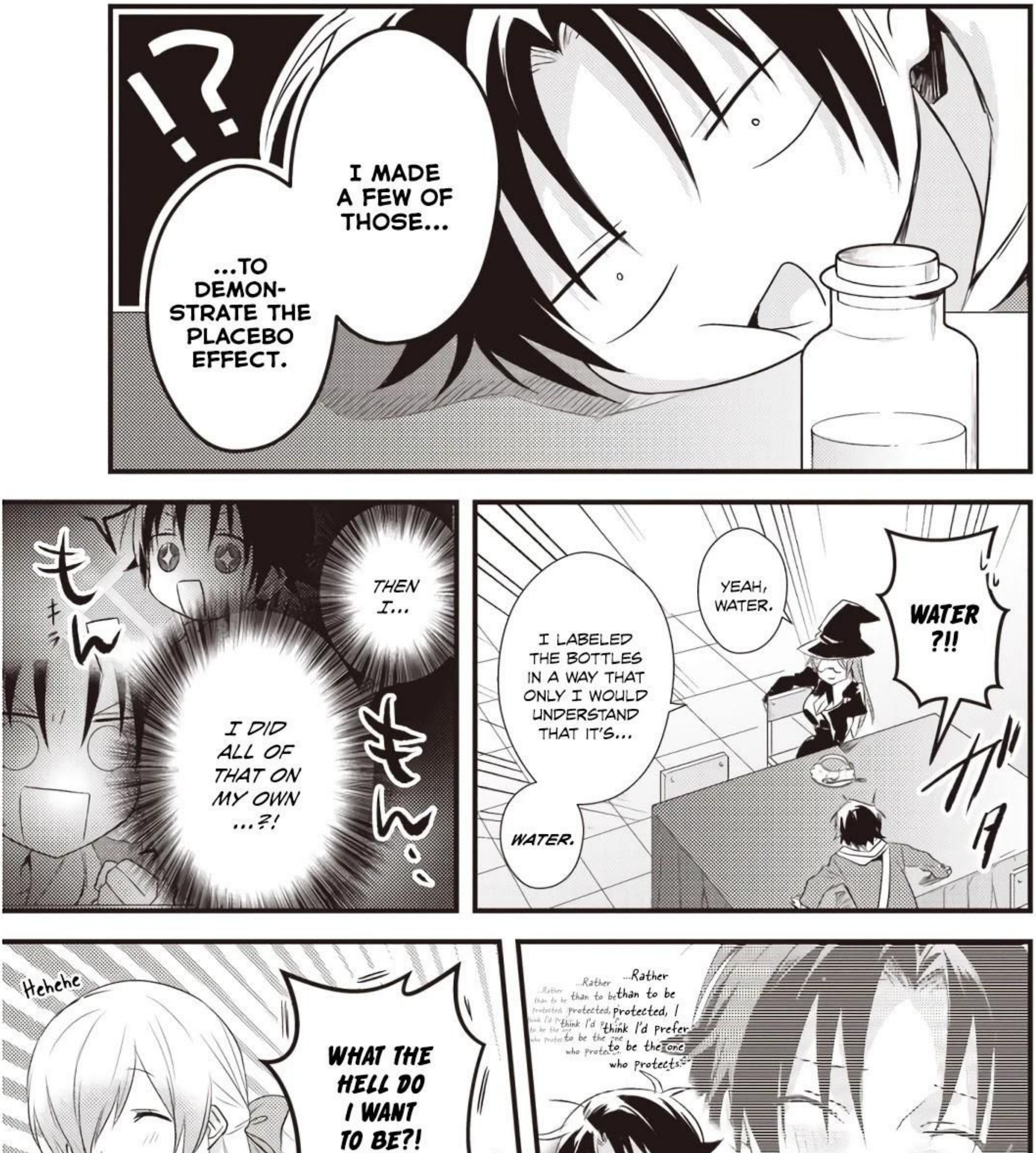
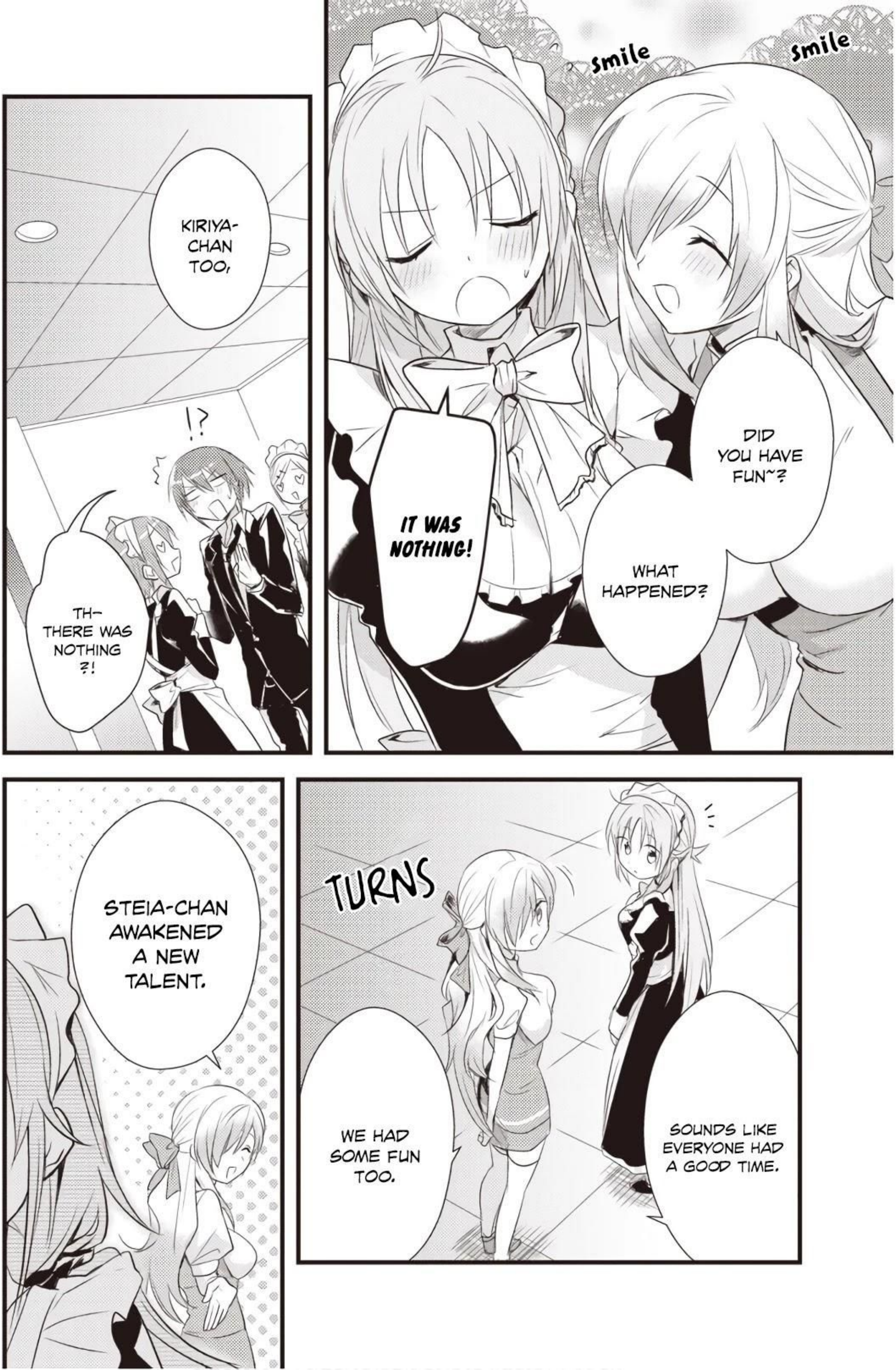
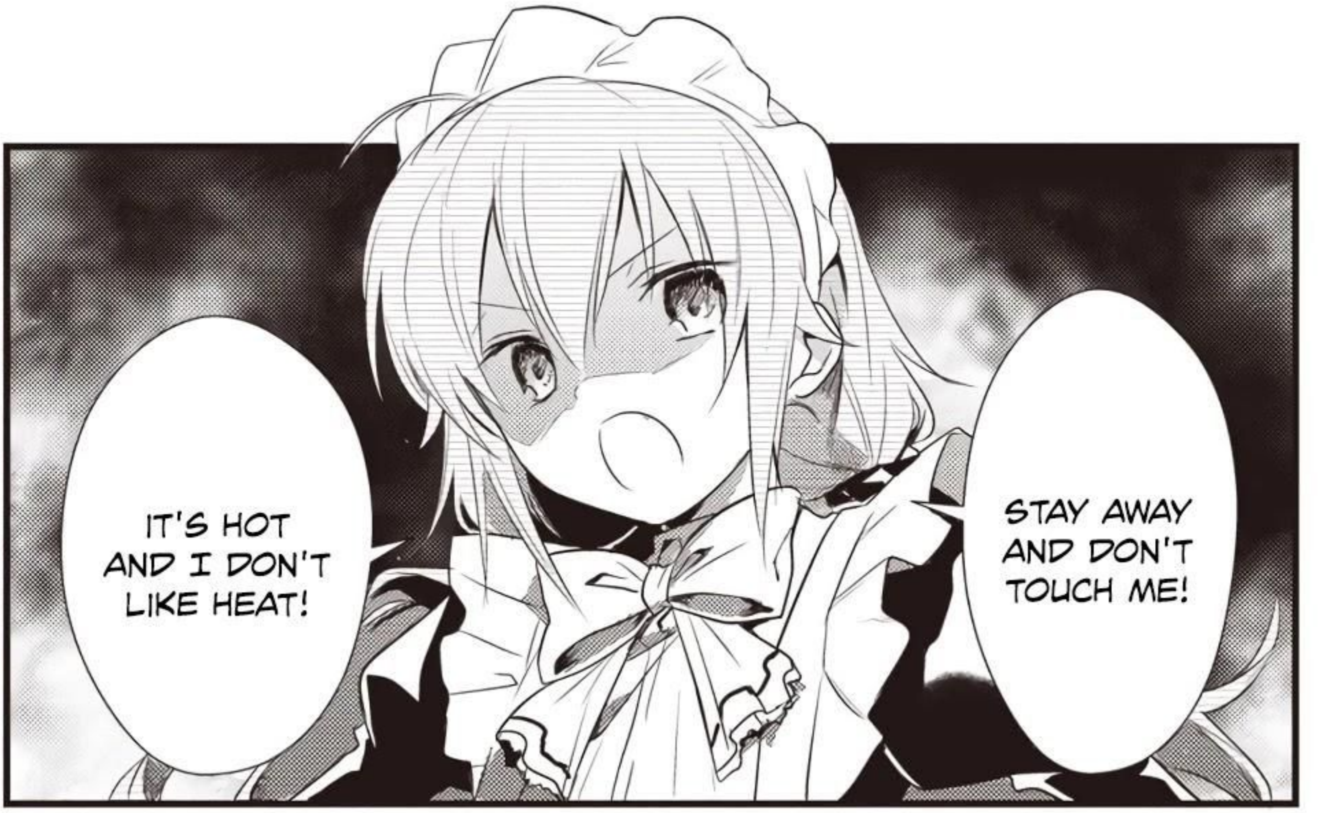
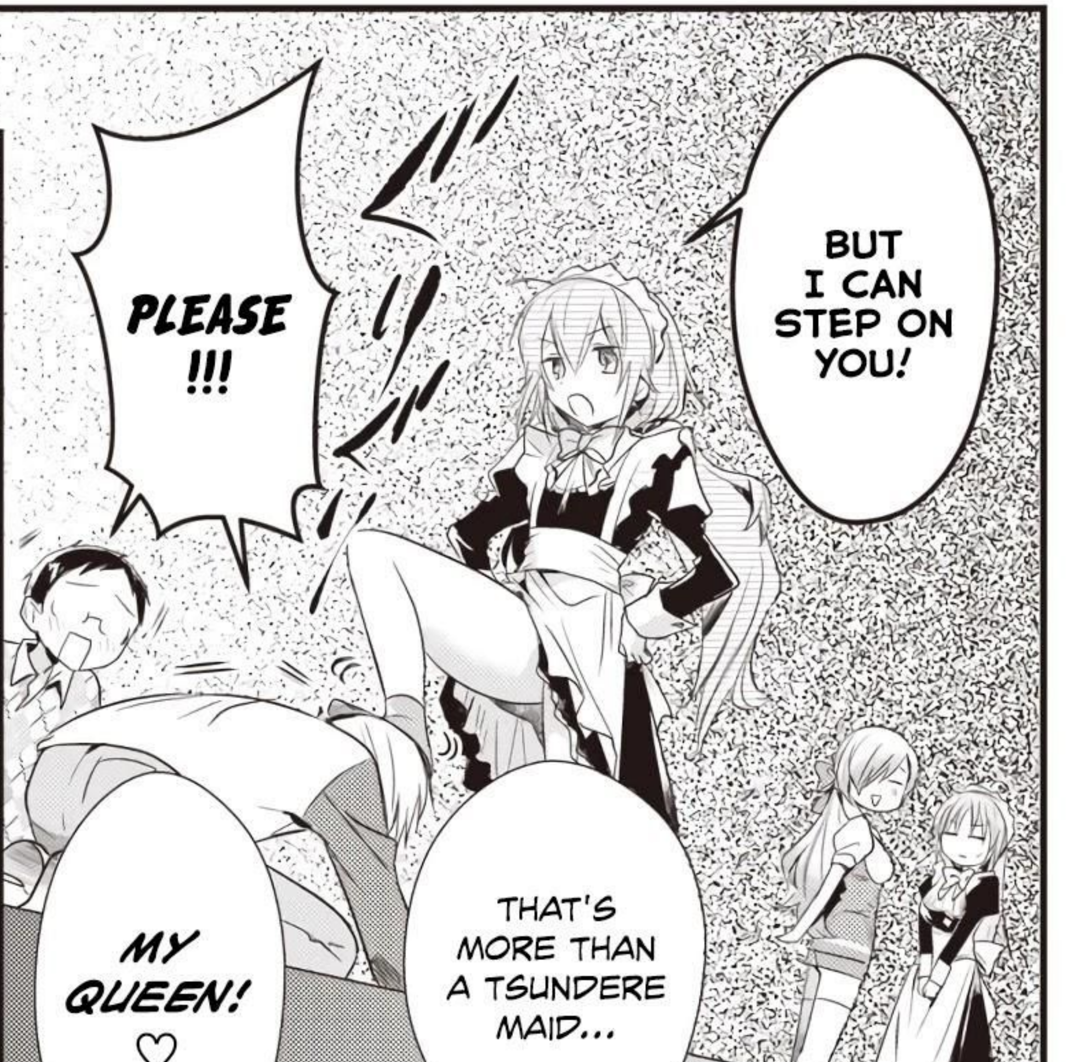
MAID

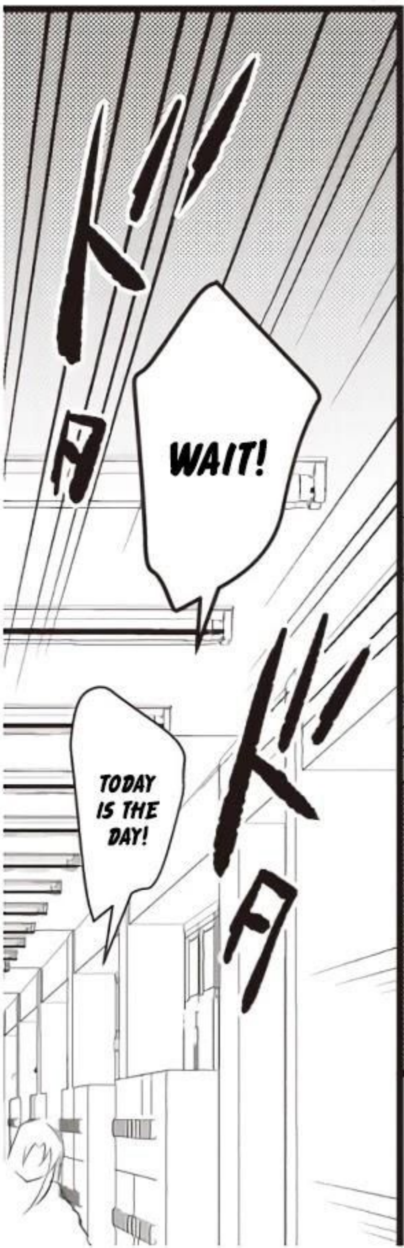

WHY DO YOU HAVE THAT MEDICINE, KOUSHI-KUN?
HUH?
YOU DRANK IT?
HOW WAS IT?
THAT'S WHAT I'D LIKE TO KNOW...
I SHOWED A VERY EMBARRASSING SIDE OF MYSELF...
IT WAS ACTUALLY ONLY WATER IN THERE.

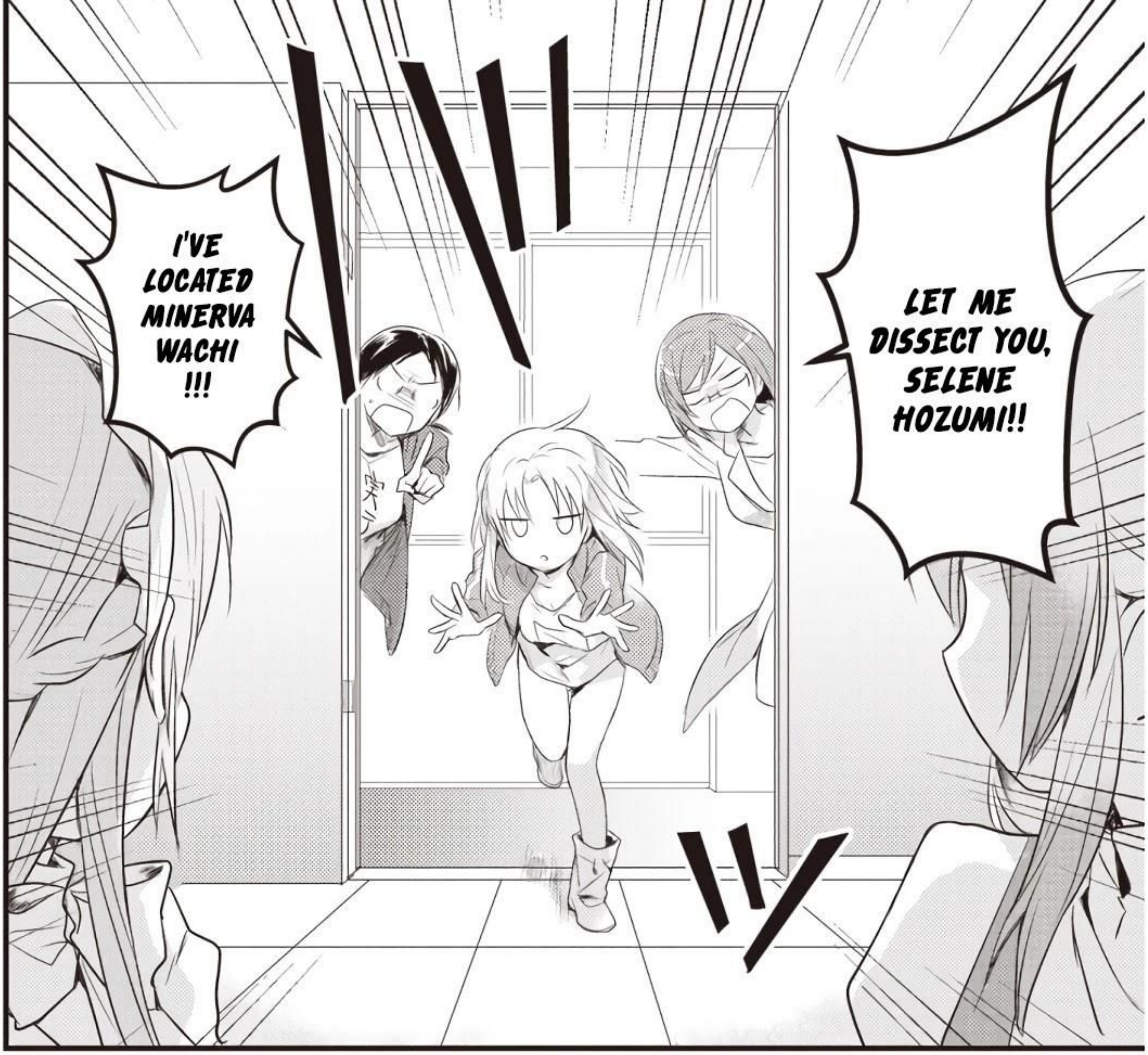

!?
I MADE A FEW OF THOSE...
...TO DEMONSTRATE THE PLACEBO EFFECT.
WATER ?!!
ガタ
YEAH, WATER.
I LABELED THE BOTTLES IN A WAY THAT ONLY I WOULD UNDERSTAND THAT IT'S...
WATER.
THEN I...
I DID ALL OF THAT ON MY OWN ...?!
もんもん
キラ
...Rather than to be protected, I think I'd prefer to be the one who protects.
...Rather than to be protected, I think I'd prefer to be the one who protects.
...Rather than to be protected, I think I'd prefer to be the one who protects.
Hehehe
WHAT THE HELL DO I WANT TO BE?! AAAAAH!
GAAAAAH...
What's wrong, Koushi-kun?

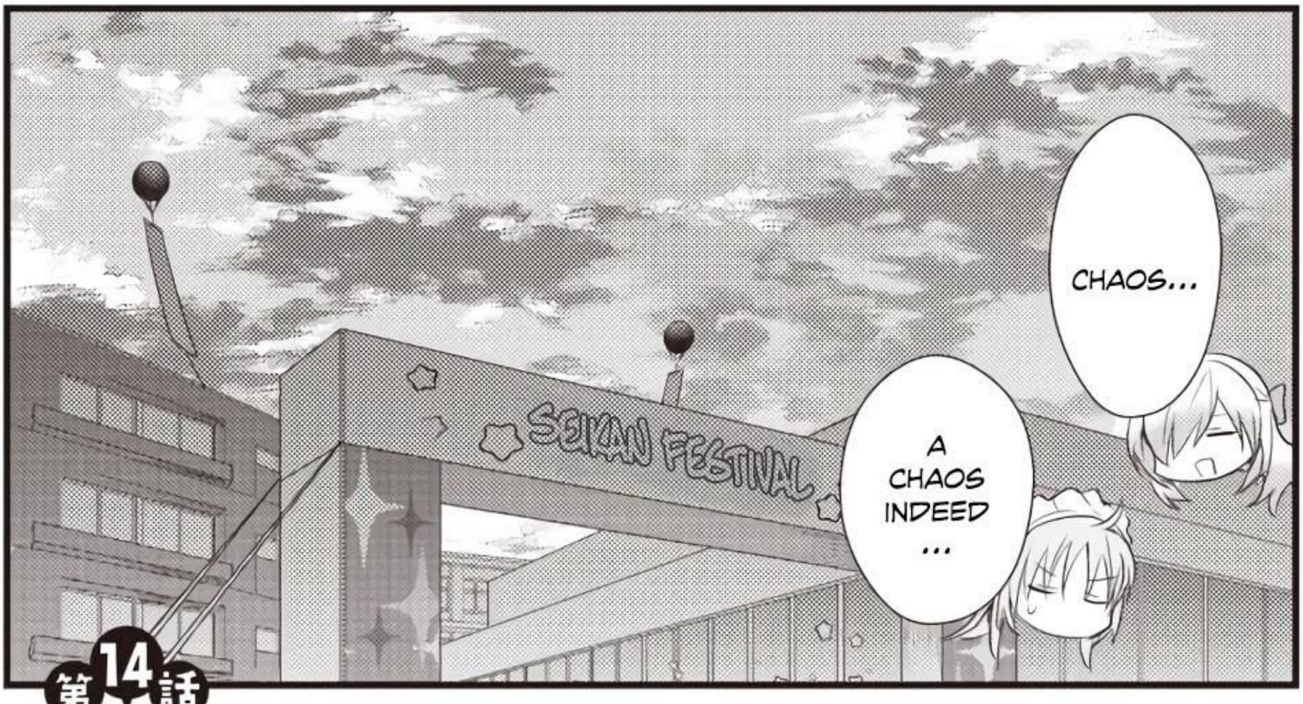

Smile
Smile
DID YOU HAVE FUN~?
WHAT HAPPENED?
IT WAS NOTHING!
KIRIYA-CHAN TOO,
!?
TH— THERE WAS NOTHING ?!
TURNS
SOUNDS LIKE EVERYONE HAD A GOOD TIME.
WE HAD SOME FUN TOO.
STEIA-CHAN AWAKENED A NEW TALENT.


STAY AWAY AND DON'T TOUCH ME!
IT'S HOT AND I DON'T LIKE HEAT!


BUT I CAN STEP ON YOU!
PLEASE!!!
THAT'S MORE THAN A TSUNDERE MAID...
MY QUEEN! ♡


WAIT!
TODAY IS THE DAY!


LET ME DISSECT YOU, SELENE HOZUMI!!
I'VE LOCATED MINERVA WACHI!!!


CHAOS...
A CHAOS INDEED ...
SEIKAN FESTIVAL

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